

District Board Cuts Estimates To Ease Taxes

The Newmarket-Sutton high school district board has decreased its 1951 budget from \$76,000 to \$63,000.

Three weeks ago J. L. Spillette, chairman of the finance committee on Newmarket council, requested a budget cut in all departments and school boards. First town estimates showed that the tax rate would be 64 mills. Mr. Spillette said he hoped to get it down to 50.

The high school levy for Newmarket will be \$18,087.46 instead of \$20,982.09 since the budget has been revised. The other municipalities in the school area have not received their estimated figures from the high school board yet. Since Newmarket asked for a reduction, it will mean a smaller high school levy on the other municipalities as well.

CRACKING DOWN ON ILLEGAL CATCHES OF LAKE SIMCOE PIKE

Two Toronto men were arrested in the Lake Simcoe area for spearing pike early this week. They had between them 150 pounds of great Northern pike, 16 fish, the largest 12 pounds.

Harold Van Wyck, conservation officer, warned that the arrests were part of an all-out drive to prevent illegal fishing. "There have been complaints in recent years about the lack of fish in Lake Simcoe. Here is one of the reasons why," he continued. "These men had 16 fish. The fish are dead and the spawn is lost."

Mr. Van Wyck said that the maximum penalty would be demanded. "We're cracking down on everybody. If we catch people in a car with illegally caught fish, we'll confiscate the car as well as fining its occupants," he warned.

AURORA CHILDREN STRUCK BY CARS ON YONGE STREET

Two Aurora children were struck by cars on Yonge St. on Sunday night but they were not seriously injured.

Lynn Patrick, two, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Patrick, ran in front of a car driven by Bodan Wilson, Markham. Suffering from cuts on the legs and face, she was treated by Dr. Crawford Rose, Aurora.

Bobbie Baldwin, three, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wyatt Baldwin, Mosley St., received bruises and cuts on his body when he stepped into the path of a car. Both children remained at home after the accidents.

SUNNY HILLS MEET

An important meeting of the Sunny Hills Home Owners' Association will be held at the Newmarket Legion Hall on Monday, April 16, 8 p.m. The success of the association depends on the participation of all residents and prospective residents of the V.L.A. subdivision. A full attendance is requested.

CRITICIZE SALARY SYSTEM

Would Pay Teachers According To Merit

The Newmarket-Sutton high school district board passed a resolution last night recommending a system whereby teachers would be given rewards in salary according to merit and ability. The board passed the resolution so that it could be introduced at the convention of the Associated High School Boards of Ontario this year. The board meeting was held at Newmarket high school last night.

The resolution was prompted by J. L. Smith, Queensville, who said that he couldn't see why salaries could not be determined by a teacher's merit. "Some teachers are better than others," he said. "The way things are now, all teachers are treated alike in payment of salary. It's like a socialism. I think we've got to support our democratic system. After all doctors, lawyers, businessmen and workmen's incomes are governed by their own merit."

Mr. Smith said that his bringing up the subject had nothing to do with teachers on the high school staffs here. "It's just the principle of the thing," he said. A. N. Belugin, chairman of the

DROWNING IN V.L.A. SUBDIVISION SHOCKS COMMUNITY, NO INQUEST HELD



Mr. and Mrs. Reg Harrison, Queen St. E., above, lost their oldest child, Bruce, age three, last Thursday when he was drowned in a water filled excavation. Mr. Harrison is shown, right, at the excavation across the street from their home. The excavation is five feet deep, was dug last fall for a new house in the V.L.A. subdivision. They have two other children. Roy, two is pictured with his parents above. According to Newmarket police, no inquest has been ordered to go over the causes of the accident.



A fence has been erected around an open water-filled excavation on Queen St. E. where a child was drowned last Thursday. According to Newmarket police, no inquest has been ordered.

The excavation is in a new subdivision close to houses built by veterans under the Veterans' Land Act. The excavation was dug last fall for a new house but the construction of the new house was delayed.

During the winter water filled the cellar excavation which was five feet in depth. Children had been in the habit of playing in the area. When spring came this past month the ice in the excavation melted and the water filled the hole level to the surface of the ground.

Three-year old Bruce Harrison

died last Thursday shortly after press time at the Era and Express. He died at the home of Mrs. Lillian Rank, across the street from the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Harrison. Doctors had worked for two and a half hours. Bruce had fallen into the water-filled excavation at 11 o'clock that morning.

His mother and father had been concerned about the excavation across the street and during the last couple of months had kept their children from playing outside as much as possible. But the warm weather had come and little Bruce had gone out of the house. When his mother missed him, she called Mr. Harrison at work; he came home and found the boy in the water.

J. G. Sinclair Tells How He Left Aurora Paper

J. G. Sinclair, former editor of the Aurora Banner, tells the story of how he left the paper in a signed statement which can be found on page 5 of this week's issue.

LIONS REHEARSALS IN SEMI-FINALS, TUNED PIANO TUES.

At the rehearsal for the Newmarket Lions club Minstrel Show last night, Lions had their first work-out on the town hall stage. Bill Greig's 12-piece orchestra accompanied the chorus.

The boys are determined to beat last spring's high water mark. Already one night has been sold out even before the burnt cork has been ordered. The show runs April 17 - 20. According to a reliable authority, it will be a post war setting with "pre-war quality".

Three quarters of last year's end men will be on the job again. Another soloist has been added who with the other soloists, combine in a quartet of southern harmonies: The popular songsters from Queensville, Terry Doan and Murray Huntley, are on again. A new and novel dance number is being rehearsed behind locked doors.

An original southern scene has been painted by Fred Hagan on the backdrop for the set. The piano was tuned on Tuesday and extra seats have been acquired. Lions president Pete Bastardo reminds everyone to get seats reserved as last year the rush ticket line-up started forming up a few minutes after 7 p.m. Lions request that everyone attend Tuesday night, or if not, every night next week.

LOCAL CAMPAIGN TO ASSIST BLIND STARTS APRIL 16

No Award On Union Yet, Fees Arranged

No financial arrangements have been made yet by arbitrators in the union of Newmarket with part of S. S. 3, East Gwillimbury public school system. The three man arbitration board is to make an award which will determine what percentage the north end will pay of Newmarket school costs after union.

According to Robert Pritchard, secretary of the Newmarket public school board and a member of the arbitration board, the award can not go into effect until after the end of the year. The other members of the board are O. M. McKillop, district school inspector, and Welly Stevens, Sharon, representing East Gwillimbury.

The arbitrators held a meeting this week with members of the Newmarket public school board and the S.S. 3, board. An arrangement was made for the payment of fees for north end students in Newmarket schools until the award goes into effect.

The board of S. S. 3 will be making a payment to Newmarket for the balance of the year. The arbitration board is expected to meet again in the next week to proceed with discussions on the union award.

HOME FROM FLORIDA

Dr. L. W. Dales and Mrs. Dales have returned from a vacation in Florida.

25 CASES WHISKEY STOLEN AT SUTTON IN SECOND ROBBERY

Twenty-five cases of liquor were stolen from the L.C.B.O. store in Sutton early Tuesday morning. The theft was believed to have been made between 3 a.m. and 9 a.m.

Jim Smith, manager of the store on Sutton's Main St. said that most of the liquor stolen was whiskey. Although he did not state the value of the loot it is estimated that it was near \$2,000.

Entrance was made into the store by cutting a bar in the front window and forcing the lock. A hack saw was believed to have been used. When they gained entrance, the thieves opened the back door and took the liquor out to a car or truck. It is the second time the liquor store has been robbed in a year. Chief Constable Stan James of Sutton is investigating.

HOPE HOBBY CLUB

The Hope Hobby club will meet for a pot luck dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. Harvey Miller on Tuesday, April 17, at 10.30.

CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Chas. Denne, Park Ave., celebrated her birthday on Wednesday. Relatives, friends and neighbors called.

RETURNS FROM HOSPITAL

Myrna Brice returned to her home, 81 Andrew St., after spending almost five weeks in York County hospital. Myrna is convalescing nicely from pneumonia.

Town Costs Soar See Heavy Raise Coming In Mill Rate

A substantial increase in the Newmarket tax rate can be expected when the rate is struck at the next council meeting on Monday night. When all budget estimates were in a few weeks ago, they amounted to an increase of 22 mills.

Since that time, the finance committee, under the chairmanship of Deputy-Reeve J. L. Spillette, has been going over the estimates, paring back costs wherever possible.

An increase of eight mills is indicated by school costs and the county levy with the balance made up by town costs. Biggest single factor in the anticipated increase is salaries, both for schools and in the town.

Mayor Joseph Vale pointed out that school teachers were the last to receive increases in salary, and that the increases being budgeted for now are the same increases which have been paid much earlier in other professions and trades.

Both the public school and high school boards have revised their original estimates, reducing them in each case. The county levy is beyond the council's jurisdiction. The remaining savings must be made up from town estimates.

The mill rate last year was 44.

Aurora Tax Rate Shows 8-Mill Increase To 58 Reflects Rising Costs

The Aurora tax rate has been set at 58 mills. Members of the council accepted the new rate on Monday by resolution, and at the next meeting, will ratify it by by-law. The new rate is an increase of eight mills over last year.

SINCLAIR SPEAKS TO AURORA LIONS ON PRESS FREEDOM

J. G. Sinclair, former editor of the Aurora Banner, was guest speaker at the Aurora Lions club last Tuesday. Mr. Sinclair spoke on Freedom of the Press, tracing the history of journalism and citing instances where the freedom of the press had been upheld.

Archie Cousins, chairman of the nominating committee, brought in his report. Members nominated were: pres., Harold Pringle; 1st vice pres., W. H. MacGill; 2nd vice pres., Dr. A. W. Boland; 3rd vice pres., S. C. Walker.

One year directors, E. H. Stoltz, Donald Glass; 2 year directors, Cameron McTaggart, R. Tucker; sec., W. C. Baldwin; treas., C. C. Copland; tail twisters, W. C. Davidson, Tom Dixon; Lion tamer, L. D. Willson.

NEWMARKET LEGION NAMES WINNERS OF ESSAY CONTEST

The Newmarket branch of the Canadian Legion announced winners last week of an essay contest it sponsored in March. In the primary schools Donald Jackson from the Prince Charles school won first prize, Donna Jean Casey, St. John's school, second and Marion Winter, Prince Charles school, third. Helen McCabe, Stuart Scott school was given special mention.

Allan Jackson won the high school prize. He was the winner last year of the Legion's provincial prize in a province wide contest.

The new rate represents a picture of general increase in the cost of administration with the public schools showing the biggest single increase in cost, approximately three mills.

A breakdown of the municipal costs, showing the anticipated expenditures, follows: public school \$30,356.59; Aurora's share in the high school area costs, \$8,988; county, \$11,572.42; library, \$1,850; municipal grants, \$200;

Disposal plant debentures, \$4,141.27; disposal system debenture, \$2,083.01; floating indebtedness debenture, \$3,232.50; administrative costs, \$11,405; office expenses, \$2,380; insurance and compensation, \$1,843; police and fire protection, \$4,475;

Town building upkeep, \$4,275; relief, \$1,500; street lighting, \$3,800; streets and sidewalks, \$11,875; sanitation and social, \$6,690; disposal plant expenses, \$2,400; disposal system expenses, \$2,300; arena salaries, \$2,800; Recreation commission expenses, \$1,500; planning board expenses, \$1,000.

Total, \$122,516.79. With the approval of the council of finance committee chairman Harold Pringle's final estimates, the town office began the laborious task of readying the tax bills.

IN DRAMA FINALS

A Newmarket high school play, "Our Dream House", is one of three plays selected for a final festival in Toronto on Saturday night. The drama festival sponsored by the Robert Simpson Co. included several secondary schools in the central Ontario district. Newmarket, Ryerson Institute and Runnymede Collegiate were chosen for the finals.

Era And Express Second Section Tells Of Queen's Yorks History

This week's issue of The Era and Express contains a second section supplement devoted to C Squadron of the Queen's York Rangers. C Squadron represents Canada's reserve army in this district and more people are realizing the importance of the reserve army as an insurance in the defence of the country.

Should there be a national emergency the reservists will be the backbone and framework for defence on a home front. Military police work and actual defence of the country may someday be the job of the reserve army. The Queen's York Rangers themselves are subject to mobilization in case of war.

This year a complete renovation has been done at the Aurora Armories. A new armor plate floor has been built so that tank

crews can drive their vehicles into the building. It has been redecorated; new lighting and other equipment has been installed. Stores, officers' mess, men's mess and offices have been renovated.

The squadron is looking to the time when more men will join the district reserve unit. Training and work will be done with a conviction that it is for the defence of the country.

The Era and Express supplement on the Queen's York Rangers' history and present day activities appears in conjunction with C Squadron's opening dance tomorrow night at the armories, Friday, April 13, at 9 o'clock. With the articles appears a message on page 13 from Major J. A. McGinnis, commanding officer of C Squadron.

A Great Force For Human Good

By J. E. STRUTHERS

When there is a tragedy and you are close to it, questions come to your mind . . . if only this had been done . . . if someone had done this or that earlier, it never would have happened. But it is too late to think of such things. A young life is gone.

When I reached the place where Bruce Harrison drowned last Thursday morning, I thought of those things.

I saw the two doctors working with their hands and hearts on a delicate balance, striving to weigh that balance in life's favor. I forgot the "if only's".

The few in that house must have felt as I did, that being helpless with our hands, we could only set our minds to influence that balance. I concentrated on something I shall never explain, a belief that if I could summon up some other energy . . . you may call it a spiritual power . . . it might be enough to tip that balance.

It was then that I decided that the human element or weakness that may have caused that tragedy was small compared to the great human strength that grew from it. That is the only satisfaction.

I was there as a reporter. I

had to do certain tasks. I had to report for the paper what had happened. But this was mechanical work, the work of habit. My real self was working and hoping for something that never came, the balance that was never tipped.

I think that the doctors, the firemen, the neighbors and friends, and the reporter were really as one mind with the parents in a supreme effort. There is some peace in the knowledge that there was a power there for a great human good, and the parents will not be alone in their memories.

Mount Albert News

Mr. and Mrs. R. Crone accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Allan Crone, Toronto, on a motor trip to Florida last week.

Mr. Modde, student in charge of Zephyr United church, will take the services at Hartman at Mount Albert next Sunday when Rev. C. P. Shapter will take the communion service at Zephyr, Sandford and Ashworth.

Mr. Olsson spent several days in Toronto over the weekend.

Mr. Jas. Smith is slowly convalescing in the Private Patients' hospital, Toronto, after a serious operation.

The Cheerio club met on Saturday evening, April 7, at the home of Mrs. Ernest Davis with 31 ladies present. The program included a solo by Mrs. Oliver, two piano solos by Diane Davis, community singing. A talk by Mrs. Bruce Cummings, King, on Geo. Frederick Handel was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Cummings also played a few of Handel's better known compositions and sang a beautiful solo to close her talk. Mrs. K. Mitchell and Mrs. R. Carr were in charge of the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Harper and family motored to Niagara Falls on Sunday, celebrating Mr. and Mrs. Harper's 15th wedding anniversary.

Miss M. Rear and Mrs. Blanchard, Toronto, visited Mrs. Morton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilkinson at Belhaven on Sunday.

Miss Mildred Dike, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dawson Dike.

Miss Olive Watts, Toronto, was a weekend guest of her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Watts.

MAPLE HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knights and family spent last Thursday at Orillia.

Mr. Don Gillion and a friend of Toronto spent the weekend at the home of Mr. R. Gillion.

Plans are underway for anniversary services to be held in Maple Hill Baptist church on Sunday, May 6.

The Young People's meeting was cancelled last Friday night while they attended the meeting in the Christian Baptist church, Newmarket.

The meeting this week will be held at the home of Mr. A. English.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Boothby, Keswick, supplied special numbers in song at the service last Sunday.

The British Legion celebrates its 30th anniversary by holding a national review in Hyde, London, on May 12 when the standards of 8,500 branches will be paraded.

PINE ORCHARD

David Russell Marshall, son of Mrs. Wm. Marshall, Toronto, and the late William Marshall, passed away suddenly on Sunday, April 1, at Toronto. Interment in Pine Orchard cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, April 3. Mr. Marshall was a former resident of this community.

Mr. Charles Brandon, Sr., is at present at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hutchinson, Newmarket.

Sorry to hear Mr. Russell Allen is under the doctor's care. Best wishes for a complete and early recovery.

A large hog shipped by McMillan Bros. of 5th con., Whitchurch, recently had a record weight of 880 lbs. live weight and dressed weight 774 lbs.

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Wm. McDonald, Cedar Valley, on death of her husband on April 3. Interment in St. John's cemetery, Newmarket.

The condition of the roads continues to be the main topic of conversation.

Mr. Nathan Mair, Union church, delivered an inspiring message on "Going Onward in Service to Christ and the Church" on Sunday, April 8. Mr. Mair's ministry to our congregation has terminated. He will shortly graduate from Emmanuel College and be given a United church charge in Prince Edward Island. We wish him every success in his future ministerial work.

We expect Mr. A. Dobson, Toronto, will be in charge of service on Sunday, April 15. A hearty welcome to all.

Mr. Nathan Mair, Toronto, was Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mrs. Wm. Reid.

Irene Kwolowski, Cedar Valley, was guest of Rosemarie Sytema on Sunday.

MOUNT PISGAH

The Gormley W.I. held a meeting of its members on Monday evening of this week at the home of Mrs. Harry Smith, to decide on the pattern of the quilt that they are making.

There will be a progressive euchre at Vandorf hall on Friday, April 13. This is sponsored by the Gormley W.I. and will be the last one of this season to be held in the hall. There will be good prizes and you are all cordially invited to attend. Ladies please provide.

Proceeds of these euchres are

MIAMI BEACH

(Too late for last week)

Quite a number of people attended the double birthday party for Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tomlinson last Saturday night at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sullivan have sold their home on Miami Drive and have moved back to Toronto.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Vine were Miss Barbara Graham, Mr. Herbert Hillis, Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Fairbairn, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kydd and their baby, Valerie Gale, also Garland Vine.

Mrs. Fowlston has returned home from York County hospital after a serious operation. We all wish Mrs. Fowlston a speedy recovery.

Sorry to report that Mrs. Jessie LaRue is on the sick list again.

Mr. Rodger LaRue is getting along nicely but still has the cast on.

Monday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King were Mrs. Bert Crowder, Walter and John Crowder, Mr. Ted Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. James Crowder and their daughter, Helen, all from Baldwin.

to be used for the purchasing of folding chairs for our community and we will at a later date inform our followers of the total receipts accumulated during this winter season.

(Held from last week)
The Mount Pisgah W.A. will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Modde in Aurora. Devotional, Mrs. R. C. Baycroft, and program, Mrs. R. Keffer. The hostess will be Mrs. J. Montgomery.

Prize winners at the W.I. euchre held in Victoria Square hall were, Mrs. J. Empringham, Mrs. R. Baycroft, and Miss Helen Wells for the ladies and Messrs. Harry Eade, Steve Eade and J. Empringham for the men. The freeze-out winners were Mr. and Mrs. J. Empringham. Our next euchre will be on April 13 at Vandorf hall. Good prizes. Ladies please provide. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. H. Biddlecombe spent a few days at Napanee over the past weekend.

Misses Rosemarie, Joanne, and Joy Reid were guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. Pearson, Toronto, for some Easter holidays.

Mr. Gordon McConachie was a week's visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Howlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Holmes, Agincourt, were weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ash.

News of the W.I. In North York

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

Union Street branch met at the home of Mrs. Edwin Breen on Thursday, April 5. There were 20 members present. Mrs. Archie Sedore, the president, occupied the chair. The birthday box will be used again this year with an equalized amount of 25 cents for each member. A report of the year's work was given by the secretary, Miss Violet Micks. The program was in the charge of Mrs. Douglas Beckett which began with community singing. Mrs. Willard Cryderman read an article on cancer assisted by Mrs. Titus Peregrine. Mrs. Archie Sedore and Mrs. Walter Rose were winners in the "know Canada" contest conducted by Mrs. Douglas Beckett.

The officers for the year 1951-52 are: past pres., Mrs. Lillian Johnston; pres., Mrs. Archie Sedore; 1st vice pres., Mrs. Frank Perry; 2nd vice pres., Mrs. Walter Rose; 3rd vice pres., Mrs. Willard Cryderman; sec.-treas., Miss Violet Micks; assist. sec.-treas., Mrs. Ernest Burgess; pianist, Mrs. Edwin Breen; assist. pianist, Mrs. Oliver Diceman; District director, Mrs. Douglas Beckett; directors, Mrs. Thomas Swanson, Mrs. Willard Beckett, Mrs. Will Moulds, Mrs. Titus Peregrine; auditors, Mrs. Elwood Callendar, Mrs. Druey Greenwood; press corr., Mrs. David English; flower committee, Mrs. Deavitt, Mrs. W. Micks, Mrs. Stanley Shanks and Mrs. Will Moulds.

Standing committees, agriculture and Canadian industries, Mrs. Druey Greenwood; historical research and current events, Mrs. Joe Clark; citizenship and education, Mrs. Oliver Diceman; home economics and health, Mrs. Willard Beckett; public relation-

ship and community activities, Mrs. Willard Cryderman; resolution, Mrs. Titus Peregrine. The meeting closed with the national anthem followed by a dainty lunch served by the hostesses.

The Bogartown branch will meet on Tuesday, April 17, at the home of Miss L. Starr, Newmarket. Speaker, Mr. John Meyer, on Public Relations. So, to Mrs. Len Little. Current events, Mrs. A. Penrose. Roll call, a way to welcome a newcomer to our community. Election of officers. All members try to be present.

The Newmarket branch will hold its annual meeting and election of officers in the Agricultural Board rooms, Botsford St., on Tuesday, April 19, at 2:30 p.m. Reports of standing committees will be given. It is expected that Miss Anna Lewis will be present. Roll-call will take the form of information suitable for the Lady Tweedsmuir book. Members are reminded that Blue Cross hospitalization fees are to be paid at this meeting. Please bear in mind the recent raise in rates. An executive meeting will be called by Mrs. T. A. Mitchell prior to this April 19 meeting.

The Pine Orchard branch of the W.I. will meet at the home of Mrs. Don Ash on Wednesday, April 18, at 2:30. This is the annual meeting and election of officers and conveners please have reports ready. The Agricultural and Canadian Industry committee is in charge of the program. A good attendance is requested. Everyone welcome.

Queensville News

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hall celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on April 5.

Miss Karen Smith entertained a number of little friends for her fourth birthday party on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kavanagh and Mr. and Mrs. W. Musselwhite attended the Garage Operators' Convention in Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. Hill and daughter of Newmarket visited Mrs. Rex Smith on Thursday.

Mrs. Moore, Newmarket, spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith.

Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Warren and family spent the weekend in Buffalo.

Master Jimmy Phimister, Newmarket, spent Thursday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pearson.

We extend the heartfelt sympathy of the community to Mrs. W. G. North and family. Mr. North passed away at his home early Saturday morning following a brief illness.

Congratulations to the cast of the Young People's Union on winning over Cedar Grove in the drama festival in Newmarket on Friday night.

Mrs. Ethan Haigh attended the funeral of her brother, Mr. Geo. Shaw, who died in Sunnybrook hospital, Toronto, and was buried on Thursday.

Mrs. Jacob Smith returned to her home this week after spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Miles, Islington.

The members of Queensville choir and their families were entertained by the Presbyterian choir, Newmarket, on Wednesday night.

Sunday guests of Mrs. S. Senett were Mrs. Minnie Arnold, Mrs. Carrie Glover and their niece, Miss Marian Wright, all of Newmarket.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Elliott, Agincourt, visited Mrs. Robt. Stiles and Mrs. R. B. Hamilton on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Wright and family of Aurora visited Mrs. P. Boag on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spencer and Eileen, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hillaby, Agincourt, and Mrs. W. Winkworth, Newmarket, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huntley.

We welcome to our village Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henderson, Neneos, who have purchased Mrs. I. Williams' property. The business was transacted by Mr. Irving G. Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fairbairn, Trafalgar, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Ramsay, Streetsville, and Mr. and Mrs. David Weddel and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weddel on Sunday.

The Evening Auxiliary will meet on Tuesday night, April 17, at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Murray MacMillan. Mrs. J. Morrill will have charge of the devotional service. The study book will be reviewed by Mrs. Lorne Smith. The hostesses are Mrs. D. MacMillan, Mrs. R. Senett and Mrs. V. Skinner.

Congratulations to Mr. and

Mrs. J. D. Murrell on the birth of their son on Saturday, April 7.

Mr. Bill Kavanagh went to Texas last week as a service engineer for de Havilland. He will be staying for two months.

A farewell party was held for Mrs. I. Williams on Monday night in the United church basement. A fine program was presented. Mrs. Williams was presented with a lovely suitcase and a bouquet. Mrs. Williams made a fitting reply. The good wishes of her many friends go with her as she leaves our community.

Mrs. Williams' sale has been changed from Wednesday to Saturday, April 14, as advertised elsewhere in this paper.

Mrs. Chas. Cook, Sutton, spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Harry Toombs.

BELHAVEN

We are enjoying typical spring weather at time of writing.

Mrs. A. Holstocks spent Monday in Keswick visiting Mrs. Elias Fairbairn.

Mr. Stuart Mitchell, Roche's Point, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Kay.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King and Floyd visited Mrs. King's father and aunt, Mr. Phillips, and Mrs. McMaster at Greenbank on Sunday.

A chimney fire which set the roof on fire in a few places at Mr. Kydd's on Saturday made it necessary to call the fire reels from Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wight and Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Fairbairn called on Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fairbairn Sunday evening.

Several pre-school children as well as the pupils were toxicated at the school on Tuesday.

Sorry to report that Mrs. C. Pollard is on the sick list and wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Murray King, Toronto, who has been off work for a few days due to an injured ankle, spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. King.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Pollard, Keswick, called on Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilkinson Sunday evening.

The house and lot, the property of the late Thos. Horner, has been sold to Mr. D. Charpentier, Sutton.

KESWICK

Mr. and Mrs. George Locke have returned after two months' holidays spent visiting several different resorts in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Rye with Miss Dorothy, Bill and Doloris, Toronto, spent the weekend at their Keswick Beach cottage.

The ice in the bay, also the body of Lake Simcoe is breaking up in the warmer weather we have been enjoying.

Mr. Grant Redditt, Toronto, was at home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Covieson were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rye's.

Mr. Thos. Johnston, who has opened his butcher shop and up to date store (at the old Superior store location), has joined the I.C.A. (Independent Grocers Alliance).

Mrs. Arthur Tomlinson, widow of the late Arthur Tomlinson, Keswick, passed away April 9 in Toronto. She leaves her son, Arnold, also of Toronto. The Tomlinson's lived in Keswick for many years and had many friends here. Mrs. Tomlinson will long be remembered for her lovely voice and the many fine solos she so generously gave in our churches. The funeral was held on Thursday in Toronto with interment in Queensville.

SHARON

Service at Sharon United church will be held at the usual time at the church at 7:30 p.m. Sunday-school at 10:30 a.m. Everyone welcome at both services. Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, and Mr. Ross Fountain spent the weekend with Mr. Wilfred Fountain.

Mr. Bob Stevens, Mimico, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Welly Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Jones spent Sunday with their family in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gill, Janet and Graham visited friends at Willowdale on Sunday.

Service at St. James' Anglican church will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, celebration of Holy Communion.

Mrs. M. E. Kiteley spent a couple of days in Toronto last week with Mrs. Arthur Wilkins.

MOUNT ZION

Mr. Thos. Sweet has been confined to hospital for a few days. Last Thursday evening, fire of undetermined origin destroyed a shack in the bush owned by Mr. Reed.

Miss Helen Gough of Toronto Normal school returned to this school section for her second practice week following the Easter vacation.

Mrs. Bruce Longfield has returned home after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. J. Coates, Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Norton, Newtonbrook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris.

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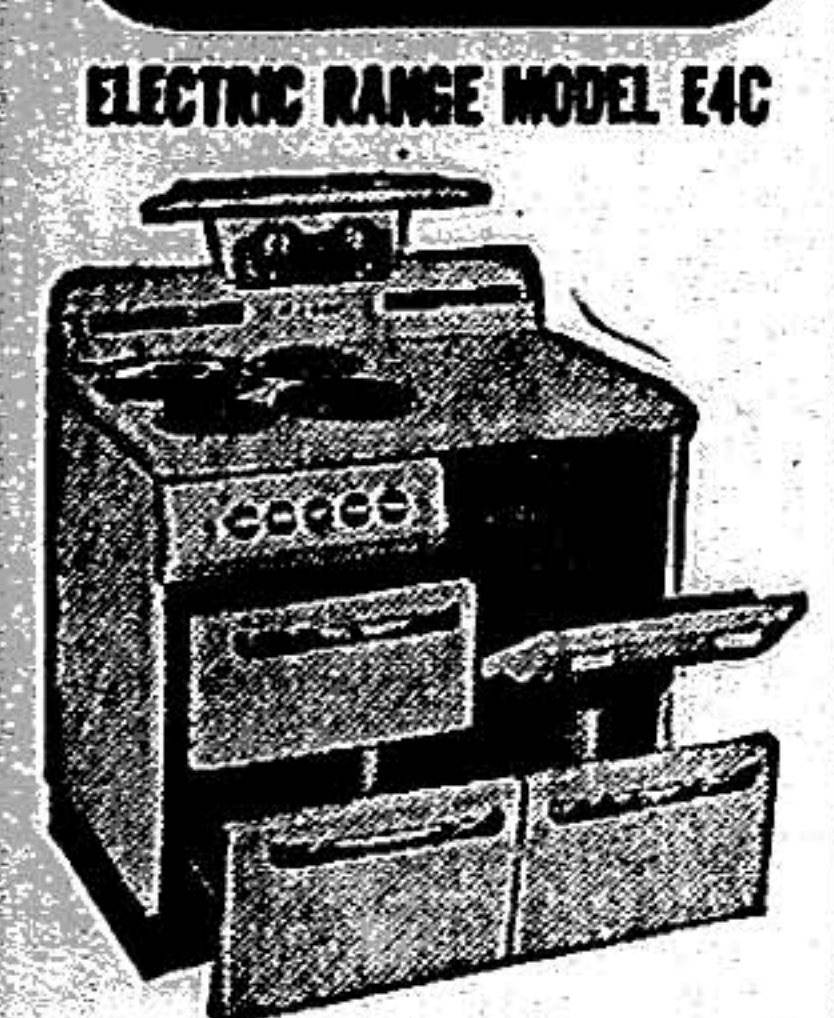
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Easter week, in spite of the
weather, seems to have been en-
joyed by both young and old.
The weather on Good Friday,
Saturday and Easter Day wasn't
exactly what we had hoped for,
but the children didn't seem to
let the weather undermine their
enjoyment of the week of Easter
holidays.

The old saying about when
school closes, mother's holidays
are over, could well apply to this
Easter holiday for the mud was
terrific and I don't doubt many
mothers spent the week trying
to keep their floors and the chil-
dren's clothes clean. Well, so
long as they keep their health,
mothers will not object too stren-
uously.

One after another of our citi-
zens who spent holidays down
in the sunny south are returning
and the mud and continued rains
must have dampened their ardor
somewhat. But I want to say
how well the manager of the
"Roxy" theatre did his part to-
wards helping the children en-
joy their holiday by putting on
an "all cartoon" show. Then on
Easter Monday, there was a mat-
inee especially for children, but
just as interesting to grown-ups
as well—a Walt Disney presenta-
tion of Robert Louis Stevenson's
Treasure Island; and also on the
same program that lovable "Bea-
ver Valley", also in technicolor,
portraying nature's wild life in
mountain, swamp and forest—all
true to nature. It was on for
three nights and I hope a good
many of you saw it for I can't
begin to describe it. How I wish
I could!

It was called "Beaver Valley"
for the beavers formed a large
part of the picture—and how
delightfully interesting they were
and such a splendid picture for
children, though no doubt grown-
ups could appreciate it more.
"Marvelous" seems to be the
only adjective to describe it, for
you certainly marvel at how
those pictures of wild life could
possibly have been secured. To
hear the authentic sound of the
beaver's flat, scaly tail smack-
ing the water to sound the alarm,
to hear the mating song of the
frogs—oh they were comical—
their throat looked as if they
had swallowed a full-blown bal-
loon.

They were the most amazing
pictures, no wonder we marvel as
to how they were acquired! The
mother duck teaching the young
ducks to swim—they seemed to
partly swim and partly to fly as
they went skimming over the
surface of the lake. The pictures
of the beaver were so interest-
ing. One young beaver, espe-
cially, who decided he was old
enough to be on his own, so he
started off and we followed him.
He falls in love and finds him-
self married to a widow with a
young son—however, he sets to
work to build his house for his
newly acquired family. First he
builds his beaver dam and we
watched with breathless interest
as he skillfully cuts down trees
and floats them to his dam and
engineers them to the exact spot
he has chosen for each one, plas-
tering them with mud and using
his funny flat tail for a trowel.
The picture shows how a coyote
chases him, when he got too
far from the water. But he es-
caped and dived down under his
beaver dam to safety. The others,
too, give him considerable trou-
ble as winter draws near and the
picture shows the others like a
bunch of school boys sliding down
hill where there was a whiff of
snow to make it slippery, sliding
down on their tummies! You
could almost hear them laugh
they were enjoying themselves so
much! There were owls and
other birds—all kinds of animals,
even elk. Oh I'd like to see that
picture again! The scenery was
something wonderful.

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OTTAWA LETTER

by

"Jack" Smith, M.P.
North York

Ottawa is accustomed to receiving distinguished
visitors, but the visit here this week of President Vincent
Auriol of France was an event which stood out as a
memorable occasion in the life of the Canadian capital.

There was a genuine warmth
throughout the whole proceed-
ings which made it different
from the mere formalities of of-
ficial welcomes. The president
was accorded every official hon-
or, but as well he received a
heart-warming reception from
the people. Addressing the mem-
bers of the House of Commons
and the senate the distinguished
visitor delivered a history-mak-
ing and impressive speech which
was received with continuous
rounds of applause.

Interesting extracts from that
historic address follow: "My
heart is deeply touched with
emotion," said the president and
his every gesture was evidence
of his sincerity. "I realize the
full significance for France of
the warmth of your greetings,
the acclamations of your people,
the supreme honor you have
done us in officially welcoming
us in the imposing edifice of your
parliament and, finally, of the
eloquence of the words just spoken."

"I am fully aware of the value
of this symbol: the president of
the French Republic bringing to
Canada the affectionate message
of France on this very hill at
the boundary of the province of
Ontario and Quebec, the meeting
place of forces, young and eager,
English and French, the union of
which has created your nation,
which increases in strength and
grandeur every day and consti-
tutes an immense human treasure
for the future."

"Sons of the British Isles, sons
of France, what a magnificent ex-
ample is given to the world, what
a long path travelled together!
"Great Britain and France—
how long we struggled and
fought. But in those hard and
often long battles there never
appeared the slightest divergence
in our conceptions of life, in our
forms of civilization. The re-
conciliation has been complete,
and together we may admire to-
day this vigorous Canadian na-
tion which is the expression, di-
versified but united, of the gen-
ius of the two races."

"Two Ancient Peoples"
"The meeting of our spirits
has begotten your spirit. And
this spirit, illuminated with ideal-
ism, guides you toward a magni-
ficent future. The two ancient
peoples, their rivalries forgot-
ten, are proud to recognize
something of themselves in your
common fidelity, and to find
themselves rejuvenated and more
closely united by your extraor-
dinary ascent."

"And now, gentlemen, I take
this occasion to tell you that at
this very hour the whole of
France joins with you and with
me in paying homage to the sac-
red memory of thousands of Can-
adians who, in the course of two
world wars, fought and fell for
the liberty of the world, and to
their families and to their sur-
viving comrades I bring our af-
fectionate thought and grateful
sympathy."

"At Vimy, where a memorial
reminds us of their legendary
heroism at Tilly, at Dieppe, at
Bretteville-sur-Laize, at Bony-
sur-Mer and in so many other
places which speak of their cour-
age, France, whose heart beat
faster when she saw them parade
through her towns, now tender-
ly watches over their eternal
rest."

"Finally, to the people of Can-
ada I express the enduring
friendship of France, our grati-
tude for all they have done for
our liberation, and also for that
inexhaustible generosity which,
under the impetus of national
and private organizations, have
been lavish in their help to re-
lieve the misery of our people
exhausted by war and a long
and awful oppression."

"In this world which becomes
every day smaller and smaller,
and where the interdependence
of nations is a fact, you have
understood that our destinies are
just the same and that there is
not a man, whether in the midst
of storm the calm of peace, sev-
eral conceptions for virtue and
honor."

"Of this vital solidarity I
never heard a more concise defi-
nition than that which I heard
on the radio in a small mountain
chalet where I had taken refuge
after my confinement in prison,
when I fled from the oppressor
before my departure for London.
"World prosperity, like security,
is indivisible." They were the
words of Mackenzie King. They
must always be our common mo-
to.

France knows
"France, being the first coun-
try on the road of invasions and
battles, knows perhaps better
than anyone that security is in-
divisible. If she had remained
alone during the war she would
have definitely succumbed. And
with France enslaved, all Europe
would have lost everything, even
hope. If our old civilization were
to disappear from Europe one

foundings of peace. With you,
with Great Britain, with the
United States, we had hoped that
the charter of the United Nations,
signed by all, would assure the
protection of every nation by the
organization of collective securi-
ty, as well as the happiness of
mankind by the co-operation of
nations.

Not Been Able to Act

"But the spirit of intolerance
and the will to dominate has not
permitted the materialization of
this great hope. And the United
Nations, partially paralyzed, have
not been able to save countries
from losing their independence
again or men their liberty.
Once again, one after another as
before the last war, the free
democracies have been smother-
ed. Vast countries are closed
and hostile to the rest of the
world. Violence has reappeared,
is menacing, and even strikes.
And so the great democracies en-
joying civil liberties had to or-
ganize into regional defence pacts.
It was with great relief that we
greeted the conclusion of the
pact among the countries of the
North Atlantic Ocean, due in
great part to the clairvoyant in-
itiative of Canadian statesmen.
This pact which, ratified by the
unanimous vote of your parlia-
ment, has established a powerful
bond between Europe and Amer-
ica, a bond among the peoples
united by the same civilization
and by the same desire and anxi-
ety to protect and defend it."

"If the aggressors of 1914 and
1939 had known that France was
not alone, that Europe was not
alone, they would have retreated
from the criminal folly of their
enterprise. History is the wit-
ness: solidarity in defense is a
token of peace."

"France wants neither war nor
servitude. Her sole aim is peace
in justice and freedom. It is
common defense, but also for
common prosperity, that France
strives to create a united Europe,
to build a young and coherent
federation."

"France is thus faithful to her
traditions and the ideal of our
common civilization."

Momentarily exhausted by the
wounds she has received while
the world was unorganized, she
always knows that it is in the
exaltation of the spirit that great
things, the proud cathedrals and
lofty monuments of right, are
wrought."

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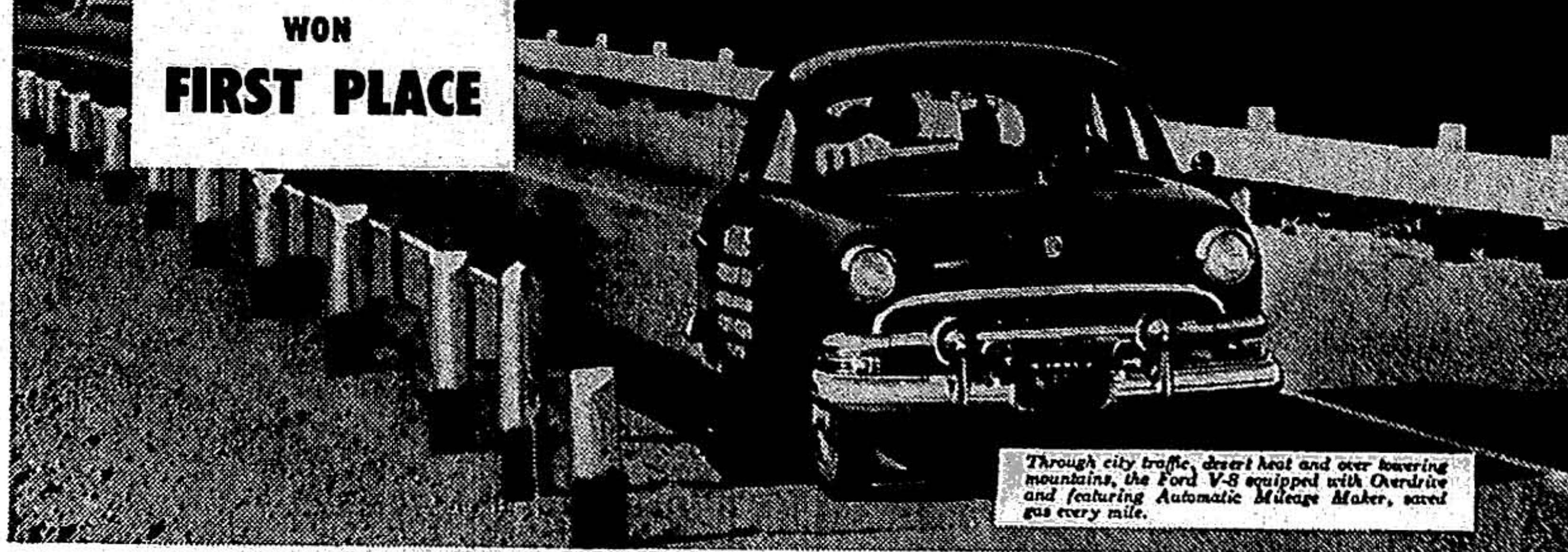
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Pages from the Editor's Notebook

As we have remarked in these columns before, we like to fish, we want to fish, but we never catch any fish. So when we were invited on an expedition after smelts, we liked the idea but we started off without much hope.

On the way to Georgian Bay, our companions assured us that there was nothing to catching smelts. In fact, any fool with a net and a bushel basket can catch enough in an hour or two to stock an apartment house. We were greatly reassured by all this and began to have hope that at last the jinx was broken.

Our friends neglected to add to this essay in catching smelts that it is necessary first that the smelts be running. We got to the Bay around ten on Friday evening and spent the next eight hours or so chasing into every creek as far north as Honey Harbor. Nary a smelt did we see. They weren't running. "Naw," says an old-timer, "they won't be running for another week."

Well, we thought, there are still the suckers. Surely we have a chance with the suckers. Sunday morning, the bridge at the Landing was lined with sucker-hunters. We had been told of a little creek upstream a bit where the suckers were plentiful.

We looked over the creek Sunday morning. Nothing doing. "Can't have reached there yet," we thought. Sunday afternoon, we paid another visit. Still nothing doing. Then we

bumped into a friend who told us that the "boys" had been hauling suckers out of the creek at a great rate at mid-day.

Well, what are you going to do about a situation like that? We ended the day trying to fly a kite we had promised the children for the last month. Couldn't even get the kite up. Tail was too heavy or something.

But despite the disappointment of the lack of fish, the weather was lovely. We lazed away most of Saturday on the front porch of a cottage overlooking Georgian Bay. There were still reefs of ice but they were rapidly breaking apart under the heat of the sun.

There were several cottagers up, inspecting the damage of the weather and beginning the spring house-cleaning. Somebody spotted three deer down on the beach the day before, and shortly before we left, a flight of Canada geese came over in a lazy formation and settled into the bay a half mile offshore.

It has been a dull winter, an enervating season. Spring has been hesitant, promising a little and then retreating behind the curtain of a squall from the west. But one weekend like the last melts the winter's iron from your bones and life becomes worthwhile again. We found violets well into growth down in the bush. Get the graters on the roads and we'll know at last winter is behind us for another year.

From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

APRIL 9, 1926

Miss Leonora Starr is taking part in the "Night in Honolulu" being presented by Ben Hokea in Massey Hall this Thursday evening.

Because of the stormy weather the market last Saturday was rather small. Butter sold from 45 to 48 cents and eggs from 30 to 32 cents. Potatoes were from \$3. to \$3.25 a bag and good apples for 35 cents a basket.

H. E. Gilroy, a Newmarket boy, who was employed at Mr. Dunlop's store in town for some time, has purchased the stock of ladies' and men's furnishings from the Dunlop branch at Aurora and will conduct the business in future under his own name.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Waller, Bradford, have bought a 50-acre farm near Sharon, and will move there shortly.

Mr. R. Henderson of the Royal bank staff at Schomberg has been transferred to the Mimico branch.

Two hundred and fifty attended the third annual at home of the Newmarket lawn bowling club in the Oddfellow's hall on Easter Monday night. Prize-winners in euchre were Mrs. Dolan, John McCaffrey and Dr. VanderVoort. Dancing to the Westmax orchestra was enjoyed and the lucky dance was won by Miss R. K. Doyle and Elton Armstrong. At intermission a buffet luncheon was served.

During 1926 there were 12 weeks of continuous sleighing. On Tuesday afternoon the W.M.S. of the Wesley and Knox United churches, Sutton West, held a joint meeting in Knox hall for the purpose of amalgamating the two societies. Officers elected were: pres., Mrs. Aaron Raiton; vice pres., Mrs. H. Thompson; rec. sec., Mrs. Walker Holborn; cor. sec., Mrs. F. Gilroy; treas., Miss Sadie Pringle.

Mrs. Millar and daughter, Lillian, Spokane, Wash., have been staying in town with their cousin, Mrs. Elisha Mann for the past week.

Mr. Colson Cameron will be the new storekeeper at Ravenshoe.

APRIL 12, 1901

Mr. A. E. Coombs, principal of the high school, and Mr. A. B. Davidson, public school inspector, are attending the Ontario library association meeting in Toronto this week.

Fairey Lake was clear of all ice on Wednesday morning.

Dr. F. R. Spratt, Barrie, has rented the premises just vacated by Dentist Terry. The doctor is an honor graduate of Toronto University and a member of the College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario.

Messrs. F. C. S. Knowles, Wm. Rennie and Joseph Hughes are the census enumerators for Newmarket.

Mr. J. E. Montgomery, who is leaving town to accept a position in Sault Ste. Marie, was presented with a suitcase by a number of friends at the Central hotel last Monday evening.

Although the weather and roads were bad, the market last Saturday was exceptionally good. Eggs sold from 11 to 13 cents, and butter from 16 to 18 cents. Turkeys increased to 15 cents a lb., and chickens sold from 40 to 60 cents. New maple syrup sold at \$1. wine measure and \$1.25, imperial gallon. Grated horseradish was 15 cents a jar.

Mr. Douglas C. Hunter is visiting friends in Athens, a guest of Dr. S. S. Cornell.

Suckers are very plentiful. On Tuesday one of the Turan boys caught 650.

A team of "crackshots" from Kettleby and King beat the Aurora team by 54 points on Good Friday. The winners were E. Colman, J. and L. Hollingshead, R. Rank, J. Ramsden and R. Wilson.

Several flocks of wild geese passed over town on Saturday night.

Frost caused a leak in the water mains at the corner of Queen and Main Streets and it was with great difficulty that Engineer O'Halloran had it repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gardner celebrated their golden wedding anniversary yesterday.

Those home from Toronto for Easter were Norman Rogers, Angus McCrimmon, Will Mosier, Bert Cane, Garnet Grandy and Tim Wesley.

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THE EDITORIAL PAGE

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THURSDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF APRIL, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE

SHOULD BE INQUEST

The death of three-year-old Bruce Harrison on Thursday was a tragic accident. The whole community shares the sorrow of the parents.

It is a painful undertaking to examine all the circumstances which are involved in the death, but we believe if an inquest were held, it would materially assist in making sure such an accident would not happen again.

There has been considerable general criticism. This is understandable, but what criticism we have heard has been made without a full appreciation of all the circumstances involved. At the same time, it is not enough to class the accident as "unavoidable". We do not believe there is such a condition as an unavoidable accident. Somewhere there is a flaw, human or material, and if that flaw can be searched out, then steps can be taken to eliminate it.

We are not concerned with attaching blame. What has happened cannot be recalled. But there are countless other excavations in this area, and there will continue to be as the area develops. We know steps have been taken, as a result of the accident, to prevent its repetition elsewhere. But men's memories are short. There must be some official recognition that such accidents can happen, and the means to prevent them embodied in legislation. An inquest would help accomplish this purpose.

QUEEN'S YORK RANGERS

In this week's issue of The Era and Express is published the history of the county regiment, the Queen's York Rangers (1st American Regiment) (25 Armored Regiment). The history is part of a special feature prepared by this paper to mark the reopening on Friday of the Aurora Armouries, home of "C" Squadron of the regiment.

The Queen's York Rangers has a proud history. It dates from 1755 when Rogers Rangers were raised to protect the settlements of New England from the raids of the French and Indians. In those days the men of the regiment were armed with smooth bore guns firing buckshot. Today, they are armed with Sherman tanks.

The history of the regiment is inseparably intertwined with the history of New England and Upper Canada. The one tells the story of the other, and the regimental crest, in a very real sense, tells the story of both with its motto: "Remembering Their Gallantry in Former Days".

The regiment is now a reserve unit and its officers and men receive their training twice a week in the evenings and at summer camp. It is a considerable sacrifice to ask of these part-time soldiers, that they give so much of their time and their energy, but their purpose is very real for it is upon them that the defence of Canada will rest should there be war.

There is a very real chance that they may never have to use their training on a battlefield. The men of the regiment, no less than the rest of Canada, hope that. But while the possibility exists, the Queen's York Rangers are making every effort to prepare themselves to meet it. They, and others like them, deserve the respect and the support of the country.

APRIL RAINS

Not all the April moisture falls from the skies. A goodly portion of it drops from the brows of worried councillors as they sweat over rising tax rates. The April showers bring forth May flowers, but all the April budgets do is to bring forth phone calls from outraged taxpayers who want to know why the tax rate keeps going up and up.

No council willingly announces an increase in the tax rate but there isn't really anything to be done about it. The price of everything else is going up and it is unreasonable to expect tax rates to be the exception. If anything, the danger lies in too close a pruning of operating costs. The physical depreciation of roads and sidewalks, municipal buildings and equipment, continues and if maintenance is not kept up, the ultimate cost of replacement is many times the amounts needed year by year for repairs.

FRANKEST COMMENT YET

About the most appropriate comment we have noted on amalgamation comes from Mr. R. M. W. Chitty, vice president of the Property Owners' Association of Toronto, as reported in Tuesday's Globe and Mail. Mr. Chitty spoke on certain aspects of the amalgamation

issue but on the question of whether his association favored amalgamation, he said:

"We are not prepared to say whether we oppose or support amalgamation because frankly, we do not know what it means, and neither does anyone else." Mr. Chitty should be given some sort of a medal to commemorate this frankness.

We suppose Mr. Chitty's remark might be applied to this paper. We don't pretend to know all the circumstances of amalgamation, but we do know that for the taxpayer in north York county, amalgamation would mean increased county taxes unless the government compensated the northern municipalities for the loss of county revenue, and we do know, on the evidence of the large cities in the United States, that the big city is obsolete.

A study of municipal costs in Toronto itself bears out this contention. The cost per capita of operating Toronto is far higher than the costs of the suburban municipalities, and because the big-city administration is so far away from the people, it is not nearly as efficient as that of the smaller municipalities. And too, the larger the city, the more inviting it is to air attack, and to the growth of social evils.

The whole conception of amalgamation is, to our mind, false. The province is considering how the city can be enlarged on the theory that the larger it is, the more cheaply it can be run. How wrong that is can be shown in the history of other large cities. Instead of concerning themselves with growth, the municipal board, the planning boards and all the other agencies should be concerned with how to reduce the city, how best to decentralize its industry and its population.

AN END TO SUBSIDIES

There is something to be said for the payment of \$65 million to the wheat growers in western Canada: privately and publicly, members of the government have asserted that never again will they support subsidy payments to special groups. The insistence of the agriculture minister that the payment be made has aroused considerable resentment in Ottawa, and the history of the deal which resulted in the payment offers an obvious commentary on the evils of attempts to artificially set prices for world markets. This example can, with very little effort, be applied to domestic markets as well, as more than one member of parliament has been quick to point out.

COSTLY LESSON

(The Rural Scene)

Since the time of Joseph in Egypt no man has been able to forecast the wheat market years in advance. Yet that is what the farmers of the Anglo-Canadian Wheat Agreement undertook to do.

They expected the price of wheat to fall after the war, as it had fallen after World War I; and they thought it would be a shrewd move to sell a large part of the next four crops in advance. So they entered into a contract to sell Britain 160 million bushels a year for the next four years.

The price was to be \$1.55 to the Canadian farmers for the first and second years. Prices for the third and fourth years were to be negotiated later; but under no circumstances were they to be less than \$1.25 for the third year and \$1.00 for the fourth.

But instead of going down, as the negotiators expected; world wheat prices went up, with the result that prices under the agreement for the third and fourth years were negotiated at \$2.00 a bushel.

Prices on the world market, however, continued higher than the contract prices and over the entire period the Canadian Wheat Board realized higher prices for the wheat it sold outside the contract than for what it sold to Britain.

Canadian farmers feel that if all their wheat had been sold on the open market somewhere between 100 million and 600 million dollars more than they did.

They feel that they are being lashed with the entire loss on a gamble in which they had neither choice nor voice, and they are asking the Canadian government to compensate them for such losses.

The government is offering them 65 million dollars as settlement in full. As there is no way of determining what the losses really amount to, this paper feels that the farmer should accept the offer and see to it that the incident is not repeated.

If, as a result of this experience, the western farmer can get rid of wheat pool domination, and regain the right to sell their grain on the open market, the experience, though costly, will be well worthwhile.

Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

I have received a letter from Lottie, the cat in London who reports about the census in Britain. For the first time in 20 years, they are having a census in the old country. (Editor's note: Ginger says that in the U.K., a "census" is a "census" and that he is trying to retain the authentic flavor).

"The government," writes Lottie, "has brought out a form two feet long and 18 inches wide to collect census data on every individual."

"It is a good form, made of strong bond paper and it will prove useful in wrapping small quantities of potato peelings. With the food situation as it is over here, it seems such a terrible shame to use full size newspaper pages for garbage wrapping because we don't have that much garbage anymore."

"There has been considerable controversy over here about what London newspaper is best for wrapping garbage. I think that after this new government form is brought out, the issue over the London dailies will have completely blown over."

In addition to Lottie's commentary on the census, a clipping was enclosed out of one London newspaper, written by Baron Henley Bitters-Sippins, well known British House of Commons correspondent, noted sportsman and reviver of the ancient British sport of house jousting.

Bitters-Sippins comments on the recent actions of General MacArthur in connection with the Korean war. "The Britisher's typical comment to the last verbal tangential spree by this U.S. general was 'He (MacArthur) rides again'."

Now the general opinion here is that the general should be fired. I don't know how the Americans go about doing things like that but it is a simple matter over here. "Frankly, I think that the Americans see to many wild west movies. The American hero of the wild west has been so established in the American mind that even their generals are 'riding again'. Things in

America are different though. I think I can recall the president being dressed up like a cowboy once. As a matter of fact, I think he was alleged to have shouted Yipee-aye-oh-kaye-aye or something of that sort.

"Perhaps firing the general will be more difficult for the Americans than it would appear to us on the surface," said Bitters-Sippins.

Lottie the cat says that book-keeping figures are rising higher and higher for the Festival of Britain. I understand that booking is legal over there so it doesn't matter if this fact is mentioned in my column.

Speaking of the Festival of Britain, Slim Bliggins was in the office yesterday and said that he plans to make a trip to the Festival this summer. He is taking some of his paintings and a collection of the prehistoric bones of the Cro-magnon man he collected in the caves of France.

"Well, that should be interesting for you because the ladies of the Cuttin Corners Handicraft and Hook Your Rug at Home society are sending delegates over to represent Canada in the commonwealth handicraft display. You may even sail on the same boat with them," we commented.

But Slim was not enthused. "Well I have another secret reason for going over to the old country," said Slim. "My festival exhibits are merely a host-essible reason for going."

"What is this secret reason for a trip to the U.K.?" I asked.

Slim looked over his shoulder, up-bred over to shut the door and whispered, "I'm going over for one of the women's magazines and to a round-up and commentary of life in England. Everybody's busy in two weeks in Europe and you're a reliable source, as they say. And if I can come back and predict whether there is going to be a war or not I'll be a famous columnist."

Slim is right I guess. Everybody's doing it and anybody can be an authority on the world situation, except generals.

by "Dairy Farmer" The Top Six Inches

It always amazes us how certain catch phrases become popular. We seem to like the sound of them and the idea behind them becomes fascinating. Contour plowing is a very nice sounding phrase even if most of us never have done it or tried it. So is mow drying of hay and automatic barn cleaners. (as if there was anything automatic about cleaning. The only thing that is automatic is the manure).

But the grand-daddy of them all is the loafing barn. We always suspected that the fascination this expression has for the average farmer is much more connected with the word "loafing" than the word "barn". If we wanted to disillusion you right at the start, we should begin by saying that the word "loafing" refers to the cattle and not the farmer. This should clear up some of the misunderstanding. It might also help to put any discussion concerning this idea on a more sober basis.

Well, let us be fair about it and see the case for and against the loafing barn. Its advocates claim of course that it is less investment in building cost, healthier for the cows and less work for the operator. It will also result, according to them, in cleaner and more sanitary handling of milk.

These claims are reasonable. Considering the cost of steel and cement these days anything is cheaper than the standard stanchion tie barn. We will admit freely that tying a cow up from November to May comes pretty close to being cruel. The average barn today has too little room for the individual stall. The platforms are too short. They are short because this supposedly will encourage the cows to use the

gunter and secondly because the average cow in any breed is bigger today than it was 15-20 years ago. As far as the cow's health is concerned, we are ready and willing to believe that there is more protection for udders in just about any other system than the stanchion. It is surprising why there isn't more mastitis than there is — and there is too much of it.

Yet, in spite of all this, we would hesitate to tear out the steel and cement in our barn and turn over a new leaf. First, because we haven't seen a loafing barn in operation anywhere but in magazines. Secondly, because what we have is here and in spite of all its faults it does work if enough care is taken.

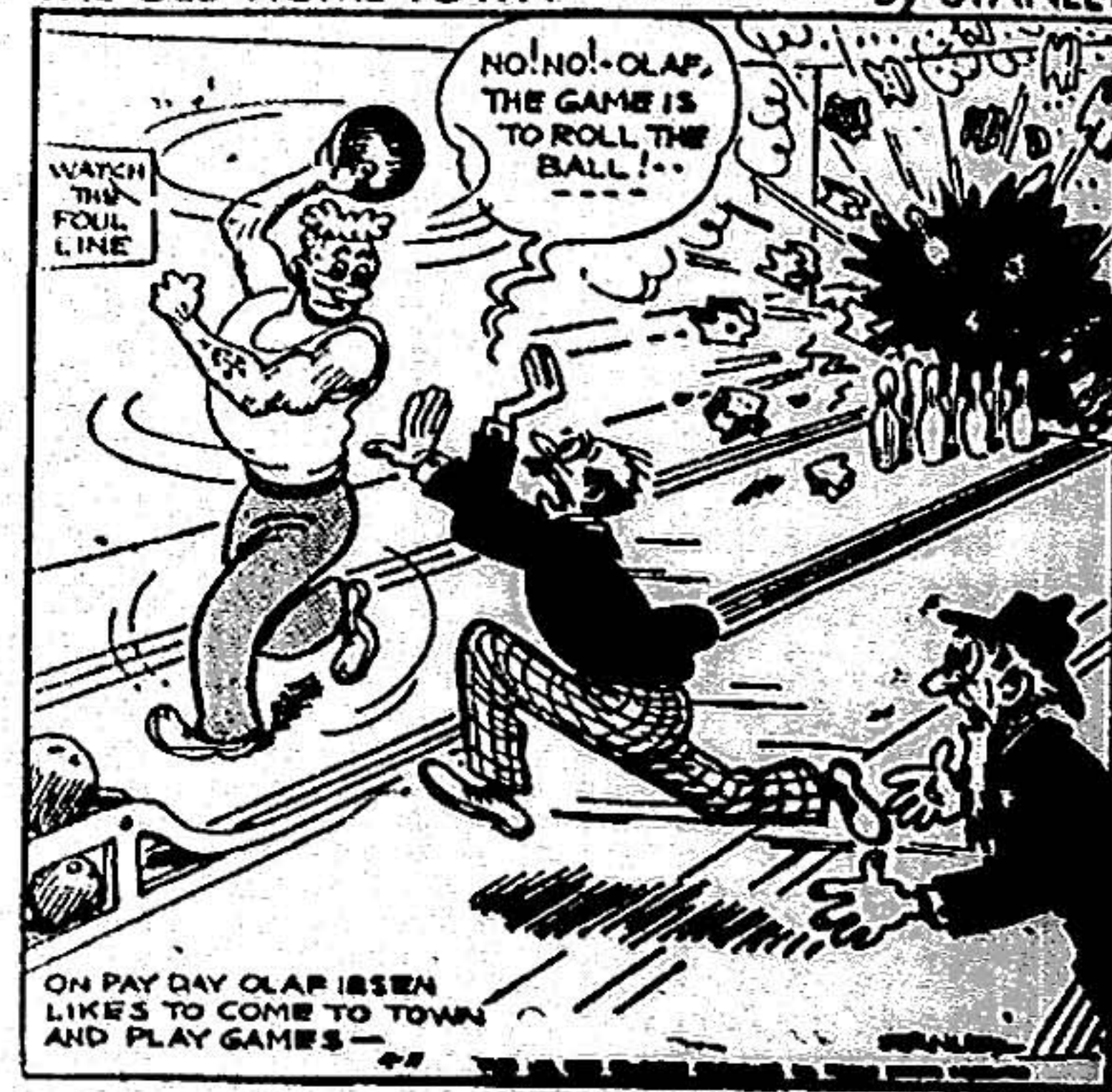
What we would like to see, is an open shed on each farm where the dry cows and heifers could stay the year round — that and a well protected yard where we could turn our cows out each day and maybe feed their hay there.

Farming is necessarily a business where any change has to be made slowly. It is one of its weaknesses. Our capital investment is too heavy as it is in relation to the amount of business we do. Our returns are too small and the price system is too uncertain to allow sudden changes.

And yet, we must admit that we are also fascinated by the words loafing barn. Whether it is the sound of it or the idea of it we don't know. Maybe it is attractive to us because it implies a departure from the routine where we could do just a bit of loafing. It would be nice to milk cows differently for a change. We hope somebody will try it soon, so we can have a good look at it.

THE OLD HOME TOWN

By STANLEY



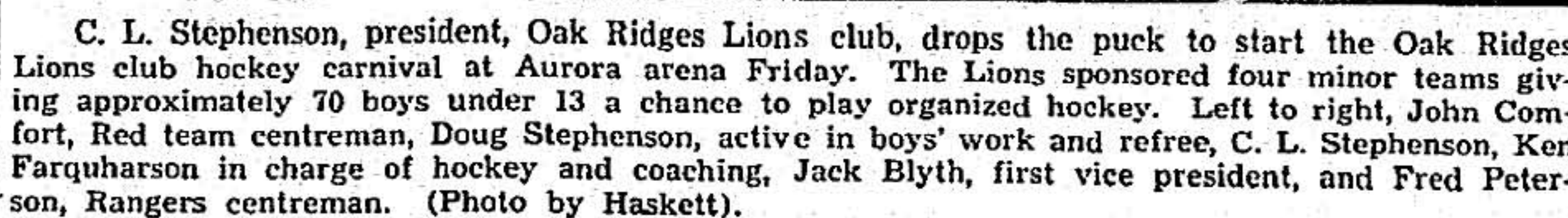
By J. G. SINCLAIR

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The Local Newspaper
I had abundant proof that my full-length reports of council meetings pleased the great majority of Banner readers. They did not, of course, always please

She is survived by a sister, Edna Hicks and a niece, Mrs. Stanley Miller, Newmarket.

Rev. H. Cotton was in charge of the funeral service held on March 13, at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose in the morning and service was held at the Beckett Funeral Home, Brantford, in the afternoon, with Rev. Leslie R. Ballantyne, minister of Wesley United church, Brantford, and Rev. John Wesley Stinson, a returned missionary from China and a niece's son, officiating. Interment was in Greenwood cemetery, Brantford. Pallbearers were Roy Philp, Carman Philp, H. Walker, A. Walton and Bion Hicks.



CORR., MRS. L. E. ROLLING, PHONE KING 8

Road conditions at Lake Wilcox Monday night grew steadily worse with district night's rain. Bud Ham, driver of a Cousin's Dairy truck, said his truck broke down, delaying delivery points east for nearly two hours. Langdon's school bus transporting children to Oak Ridges school, goes as far as Woolley's store, the children walking in from nearby points. Mr. Geo. Gourlay parks his car at Hart's store and he and his wife walk to their home. The north lake road was gravelled in spots but failed to hold as frost came out of the roadbed. Wednesday, July 11, has been set by the Lions club for the second annual picnic.

Miss Lillian Bunn of Aurora, sister of Mr. Eric Bunn, Oak Ridges, leaves today (Thursday) for a two months' visit to England, her birthplace. She will sail from New York harbor. Miss Bunn is the last of her family to make a voyage to the Old Country, the others having enjoyed various visits to aunts and uncles there. An employee of Scanlon's Bakery, Aurora, for 20 years, she left her position early this week to make final preparations for the journey.

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Funeral service was conducted by Rev. F. Breckon at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on March 8 and interment was in Newmarket cemetery. Pallbearers were Walter Haines, Stanley Osborne, Walter Hall, Carl Gordon and Ralph Roag.

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For sale—Convertible guitar, 9' x 10' 1-2" rug. Apply 25 Andrew St., phone 1385, Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—Waterless cooking set, pressure cooker. Phone 768w, Newmarket. c2w15

For sale—Galeleg table (w/nt), good condition. Apply Pollock's Shoe Store, Main St., Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—Singer console No. 201-2 electric sewing machine, used only a few months, excellent condition. Phone 1693, Queensville. *1w15

For sale—Navy blue dress, fine crepe, new, size 17, with full circle skirt 31" long. Phone 1294j, Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—Moffatt Electric Oven. Capacity 18 9" pies. Reasonable. Broadbent's Bakery, phone 1358, Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—C.C.M. tricycle, large size, excellent condition. Phone 123, or enquire 24 Timothy St. W., Newmarket. c1w15

For sale—Boy's 3-piece brown coat, breeks and short pants. Grey glen check sport coat, size 8. Apply 6 Elm St., Newmarket. *1w15

For sale—2 cement gate post molds, one 10" and one 12". Phone 1093w, Newmarket. c1w15

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Your advertisement gets into over 3,300 homes in North York.

TRAILERS

For sale—House trailer. Factory built. Excellent condition. Sleeps four. Equipped with refrigerator, Coleman gas stove, heater, electricity, water tank, wardrobes, numerous cupboards, china cabinet, separate washroom. Trailer hitch. Available for inspection. Phone Newmarket 147. c1w15

HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Mechanic or apprentice with some experience for garage and service station. Apply Cecil Taylor, Imperial Service Station, phone 445, Newmarket. c1w15

Help wanted—Experienced waitress, 8-hour shifts. No Sunday or holiday work. Write Era and Express box 584. c1w15

Help wanted—Housekeeper. All modern conveniences in home for details. Apply Mrs. H. Pollard, Keswick, phone 140, Roche's Point. c3w14

Help wanted—Middle-age woman to help with housekeeping, used as one of the family. Apply Era and Express box 587. *1w15

Help wanted—Male. Experienced Hoffman pressers. Steady employment. Apply Aurora Cleaners, Aurora. c1w15

Help wanted—\$60. Girl or woman for general housework. No laundry, cooking not necessary. Aurora vicinity. Phone 89r21, Aurora. c1w15

Help wanted—Woman to do housecleaning. Apply Era and Express box 588. c1w15

Wanted—Man for power lawn cutting and garden work, one day a week commencing immediately. Crossland Farms, phone 1041, Newmarket. c1w15

WORK WANTED

Upholstering, Chesterfield suites, chairs recovered. For samples of materials at reasonable rates, call Ken. Sargent, 85 Gormish St., phone 382, Newmarket. *r26w1

Slip covers, draperies, bedspreads, etc., made-to-measure. Your own materials. Phone Mrs. Thelma Jones, Newmarket 1151j, 78 Andrew St. *1f14

Work wanted—War veteran seeks position as caretaker or gardener. Two women will do housework. Available now. House essential. Apply Era and Express box 562. *1f10

Work wanted—Will do laundry. No pick-up or delivery. Apply Era and Express box 586. *1w14

Work wanted—Odd jobs evenings and Saturdays. Phone 1181w, Newmarket. c2w14

Building this year? Or just repairing? We do both types of work at reasonable rates. Roofing and chimneys a specialty. Just call 211w3, Newmarket, for a free estimate. *2w15

Wanted—Landscape gardening. Phone 561j, Newmarket. c1w15

TRANSPORTATION

Transportation wanted 5 days weekly. Arriving Lansing 8:30 a.m. Phone 693r, Newmarket. *1w15

Transportation wanted 2 passengers from Sharon travelling to Toronto daily, arriving Toronto 9 a.m., leaving 5 p.m. Phone 3206, Queensville. c3w15

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

For sale—Gas station with or exclusive of farm hardware and equipment. Garage 54' x 64' Six-room bungalow, town water, hydro, near two schools and two churches. High school bus stop. \$5,000 cash required. Balance mortgage. Reasonable. In fast developing village near Bradford. Splendid opportunity for 2 or 3 partners. Apply Era and Express box 578 or G. Byers, 70 Kingsway Cres., Toronto 9. *4w13

PERSONALS

Avoid deficiency disorders like Anemia, Constipation, Piles, Nerves; start taking Nova-Kelp today. Your system needs iodine—Nova-Kelp can help supply this. Use regularly and observe benefits to your health. Three economical sizes—\$1.19, \$1.98, \$3.49—at all druggists. c1w15

LOST

Lost—Elgin wrist watch bracelet, teen-ager's, in Newmarket near Roxy theatre. Reward. Apply Nancy Beckwith, 200 Kennedy St., Aurora. c1w15

Lost—One gold earring, round ring with stone in centre. Keep-sake. Reward. Vicinity of theatre or Water St. parking lot. Phone 665w, Newmarket. c1w15

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—Started and day old turkey poult, Broad Breasted Bronze and White Holland, for immediate delivery from now until April 30. Maynard's Turkey Hatchery, Schomberg, Ont., phone 14. c2w14

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

Auction Sale
M.H. Tractor, Chev. Truck
Threshing Machine, Farm Stock
Implement, Hay, Grain
Furniture
The Property Of
JAMES WRIGHT
To Sell by Public Auction on
Lot 20, Con. 3, Whitechurch
1-2 miles east of Aurora
on highway
On
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18
HORSES
1 Bay gelding, 10 yrs. old
1 Bay gelding, aged
CATTLE
1 Holstein cow, fresh, calf by side,
5 yrs. old
PIGS
9 Pigs about 140 lbs.
6 Pigs about 100 lbs.
9 Pigs about 160 lbs.
5 Pigs about 170 lbs.
7 Pigs about 150 lbs.
FURNITURE
1 Kitchen stove with top oven
1 Quebec heater
2 Twin beds and springs
1 Triple mirror dressing table
1 Dresser
1 Small stand
1 Small radio
1 Extension table and 6 kitchen
chairs
1 4-gal. churn, butter bowl and
print
3 Poultry shelves
1 Lawn mower
Number of chick fountains
Quantity of odd dishes
Farm stand
Crock and jars
IMPLEMENTS
1 M.H. tractor, No. 30, new
1 Favorite threshing machine, 24-
36, with clover attachment and
high elevator for grain. This
machine is in good condition.
1 6" drive belt, 100', endless
1 Fertilizer seed drill, I.H.C., good
condition
1 3-furrow Cockshill plow
1 Wagon, 60x16 tires, good
1 Wagon rack
1 M.H. binder, 6' cut
1 6-section harrows
1 4-section harrows, Diamond
1 Set bench sleighs
No. 21 walking plows
1 Stock rack
1 2-wheel trailer and rack
1 Sulky rake
1 Cultivator, I.H.C. spring tooth
1 6' mower, McCormick Deering
1 2,000 lbs. scales, good
75 Pieces of galvanized roofing, 8'
long and 10' long, new
1 Turnip drill
1 Holes of snow fence
1 Mower, Frost and Wood
1 Walking scuffer
Quantity of egg crates
1 Chev. 2-ton truck, 1930, on good
rubber
Grease guns
Cutter
Quantity of new and used lumber
1 14 horse electric motor, 67 cycle
Quantity of roofing nails, lead
heads
Number of oil barrels, galvanized,
good
Quantity of rubber belting
Chains, shovels, hoes and many
other articles too numerous to
mention
Quantity of stove wood and apple
wood
About 2 tons nut coal
HARNESS
1 Set double harness
Number of horse collars
HAY AND GRAIN
Quantity of baled straw
About 600 bus. turnips
About 500 bus. Erbon oats, suitable
for seed
Quantity of loose hay
No reserve as farm is sold
Terms Cash Sale at 1 p.m. sharp
L. S. Mount, Clerk
Alvin Farmer, Auctioneer
clw15
Era and Express classifieds
bring results.

Auction Sale
OF DAIRY CATTLE, FARM
STOCK IMPLEMENTS, GRAIN,
ETC.
The Property of
S. ACHESON
Lot 68, con. 1, Whitechurch twp., on
east side of Yonge St. at Oak
Ridges
FRIDAY, APRIL 20
CATTLE
Holstein heifer, springing
Holstein cow, rising 4 yrs., spring-
ing
Holstein cow, 4 yrs., springing
Black heifer, milking, bred Dec. 14
Red cow, 6 yrs., to calve May 14
Holstein cow, 6 yrs., full flow, not
bred, calf by side
Black cow, full flow, not bred, calf
by side
Holstein heifer, fresh, calf by side
Holstein cow, 4 yrs., fresh, calf by
side
Holstein cow, 6 yrs., calf by side,
bred March 13
Holstein cow, 9 yrs., milking, bred
Dec. 24
Black cow, 5 yrs., full flow, calf
by side, not bred
Black cow, 5 yrs., fresh, calf by
side
Holstein cow, 4 yrs., calf by side
Holstein cow, 9 yrs., fresh, calf by
side
8 Veal calves
Jersey cow, fresh, calf by side
Red heifer, bred Dec. 1
Roan heifer, rising 2 yrs.
Holstein heifer, 1 yr.
Holstein heifer, 9 months
Holstein heifer, 8 months
5 Red and white heifers, 6 months
Reg. Holstein bull, Bond Lake
Pontiac, 1 yr.
HORSES
Black mare, 9 yrs., Clydesdale
Black gelding, 8 yrs., Clydesdale
Above team is an outstanding
matched pair, white faces and
white stockings, good in all
harness
Black mare, Percheron, 10 yrs.,
real good
Standard bred mare, 8 yrs., good
rider, also broken to harness
Pinto pony, rising 2 yrs., good size
Pinto pony, rising 2 yrs.
Above ponies are real good
Pony saddle
Set of team harness
Number of horse collars
TRUCKS
'39 Chevrolet 2-ton stake body
truck, 12 ft. platform, and
racks, good, license
'45 Chevrolet stake body truck, 9'
body, good
'40 1-2 ton panel truck, good
IMPLEMENTS, ETC.
Ford tractor on rubber, 1948, real
good, like new
Ford tractor plow
Ford tractor cultivator, new, com-
plete with row crop attach-
ment
Mower, 5', Mc-D. 1 year old
Tandem disc, 28-disc, M.H., new
Binder, Mc-D. 7 ft., near new
Potato digger
Set of 5-sec. harrows
500-gal. steel gasoline tank, used
1 yr.
Mc-D. grain drill, 11-disc
Horse rake
Number of steel stails
3 45-gal. oil drums
Number of other articles
PIGS
White brood sow, bred April 23
White brood sow, bred April 10
White brood sow, bred April 10
White sow, bred April 1
White sow, bred April 12
11 Pigs, 2 months
GRAIN & POULTRY EQUIP
100 Bushels of seed barley
Cord-burning brooder stove, com-
plete with hover
Number of chick feeding troughs
HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS
2 Aene cookstoves, coal or wood
Upright piano, good
2 Bunk beds
No reserve, proprietor quitting
farming
TERMS CASH SALE 1 SHARP
D. Goulding, Clerk
Ken and Claude Prentice, Auctioneers
Markham P.O., phone Markham
346; Milliken P.O., phone Agri-
court 52w3
clw15

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM
DAVID RICHARDSON, DECEASED
All persons having claims
against William David Richardson,
late of the Township of White-
church, in the County of York,
Farmer, deceased, who died on or
about the 24th day of February,
A.D. 1951, are hereby notified to
send to the undersigned, on or
before the 28th day of April, A.D.
1951, full particulars of their
claims. After the said date, the
Executors will distribute the as-
sets of the said deceased, having
regard only to the claims of which
they shall then have notice.
Dated at Newmarket, Ontario,
this 29th day of March, A.D. 1951.
Allan M. Mills,
Newmarket, Ontario,
Solicitor for the Executors.
c3w13

CARD OF THANKS
Mrs. William Whitney McDon-
ald, Cedar Valley, wishes to ex-
press to her many friends, rela-
tives and neighbors her heartfelt
thanks and appreciation for acts of
kindness, messages of sympathy
and beautiful floral tributes ex-
tended to her in her recent sad
bereavement in the loss of a dear
husband.

CARD OF THANKS
Albert Oseltion wishes to thank
Dr. Ritchie, Dr. J. Dales, Dr. J.
C. Edwards and staff of York
County hospital for kindnesses
and good care during his stay in
the hospital and to friends and
neighbors for cards and calls.
Thank you.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to extend our sincere
thanks and appreciation for the
kindness and understanding sym-
pathy and floral offerings from
friends, relatives and neighbors
during the illness and death of our
father, Carlyle and Nellie Peter-
son.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY
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home to her many friends on
Friday, April 20, from 2 to 4
and 7 to 9 p.m. at the home of
her daughter, Mrs. Mills, 80 An-
drew St., Newmarket, the occa-
sion being her 90th birthday.

NEW MARKET
Youth for Christ
DIRECTOR: WILF ELSEY
Musical Night Solo, Duets and Quartets
Vocal and Instrumental
SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 7.30 P.M.
FRIENDS MEETING HOUSE
Botaford and Church Sts.

It is appointed unto men
once to die, but after this the
judgment.
"Fear not them which kill the
body (man) but are not able
to kill the soul: but rather
fear Him (God) which is able
to destroy both soul and body
in hell."
"Ye shall die in your sins."
"Except ye repent ye shall like-
wise perish."
7 a.m.—Intercessory Prayer
Connaught Gardens Chapel

BIRTHS
Brady—At York County hospi-
tal, Wednesday, April 11, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Brady, New-
market, a daughter.
Burton—At York County hospi-
tal, Tuesday, April 10, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Cleave Burton, Lang-
staff, a son.
Catania—At York County hospi-
tal, Tuesday, April 10, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Catania, Brad-
ford, a son.
Comer—At York County hospi-
tal, Friday, April 13, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Comer, R. R. 2,
Virginia, a daughter.
Dixon—At York County hospi-
tal, Wednesday, April 11, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Allan Dixon, R. R. 3,
Mount Albert, a daughter.
Dunning—At York County hospi-
tal, Saturday, April 7, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Alec Dunning, R. R. 2,
Newmarket, a son.
Fraser—At York County hospi-
tal, Friday, April 6, 1951, to Mr.
and Mrs. Hugh Fraser, R. R. 2,
Aurora, a daughter.
Hughes—At York County hospi-
tal, Wednesday, April 11, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hughes, R. R. 2,
Aurora, twin daughters.
Johnston—Bill and Bette John-
ston (Wright), Newmarket, are
happy to announce the arrival of
their daughter (Deborah Jean).
Monday, April 9, 1951, at York
County hospital.
Johns—At York County hospi-
tal, Tuesday, April 10, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Johns, (Doris
VandenBergh), Weston, formerly
of Newmarket, a son, Douglas Ad-
dison.
Kirbyson—At York County hospi-
tal, Monday, April 9, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. William Kirbyson,
Aurora, a daughter.
Kanters—At York County hospi-
tal, Saturday, April 7, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kanters, R. R. 3,
Mount Albert, a son.
Kennedy—At York County hospi-
tal, Saturday, April 7, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Kennedy,
Queensville, a daughter.
Murrell—At York County hospi-
tal, Saturday, April 7, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. John D. Murrell, Queens-
ville, a daughter.
McKenzie—At York County hospi-
tal, Saturday, April 7, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McKenzie,
Aurora, a son.
McClure—At York County hospi-
tal, Monday, April 9, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. William McClure,
Newmarket, a son.
Smith—At York County hospi-
tal, Monday, April 9, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Smith, Richmond
Hill, a son.
Simpson—At York County hospi-
tal, Wednesday, April 11, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Simpson, New-
market, a son.
Simpson—At York County hospi-
tal, Tuesday, April 10, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Simpson, Aurora,
a son.
Stiekwood—At York County hospi-
tal, Thursday, April 12, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Murray Stiekwood,
Holland Landing, a son.
Wright—At York County hospi-
tal, Thursday, April 5, 1951, to
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wright, Mount
Albert, a son.

DEATHS
Barrager — At his home, Mary
St., Aurora, on Thursday, April 5,
1951, Garnet (Bud) Barrager, hus-
band of Vivian Ivonen and father
of Tracy and Margaret, in his
48th year.
Interment Aurora cemetery on
Saturday.
Harrison — At Newmarket,
Thursday, April 5, 1951, Bruce Re-
ginald, in his 4th year, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Reginald E. W. Harrison.
Interment Newmarket cemetery
on Saturday.
Hooper — At La Fliche, Sask.,
Thursday, April 5, 1951, Flossie
Agatha (Forster) Hooper, wife of
Wilfred O. Hooper and sister of
Mrs. Geo. C. Young, Newmarket.
Jennings — At Newmarket, on
Saturday, April 7, 1951, Harry C.
Jennings, in his 48th year, husband
of Mabel Stubbs and father of
Frank, Betty and Jack.
Interment Laurel Hill cemetery,
Bolton, on Tuesday.
North—At Queensville, on Sat-
urday, April 7, 1951, Willis George
North, in his 49th year, formerly
of Toronto, husband of Elsie Vera
Turp, father of June (Mrs.
Schroeder), Lois, Ross and Grant.
Interment Queensville cemetery
on Monday.
Peterson—At his home, 58 Cen-
tre St., Aurora, on Thursday, April
5, 1951, John Bennett Peterson,
husband of the late Laura Wood-
ard and father of Carlyle and
Nellie, in his 78th year.
Interment Aurora cemetery on
Saturday.
Sprague — At Newmarket, on
Monday, April 9, 1951, Hannah B.
Woods, wife of the late John
Boyce Sprague, mother of Mrs.
Volney Richardson (Charlotte),
Stirling, Boyce Sprague, Larder
Lake, Mrs. Alice Rhodes, and
Hazel, Newmarket.
Interment Brim Hill cemetery,
Sutton, on Thursday.
Tomlinson—On Monday, April 9,
1951, Mary Etta (May), wife of the
late Arthur W. Tomlinson, mother
of Arnold Tomlinson, 9 South
Kingsden Dr., Toronto.
Interment Queensville cemetery
on Thursday.
Urquhart — At her home, 86
Queen St. E., Newmarket, Sunday,
April 8, 1951, Emma Smekum,
widow of the late David D. Urqu-
hart and mother of Dr. James
Urquhart, Aurora.
Interment Quaker Hill cemetery
on Tuesday.
West—At Newmarket, on Sun-
day, April 8, 1951, Albert E. West,
husband of the late Emily Norris,
veteran of the North West Rebel-
lion, father of Bert, Toronto;
George, Midland; Mrs. Frank
Botwell, John and Angus, New-
market, in his 94th year.
Interment Newmarket cemetery
on Wednesday.

IN MEMORIAM
Bright — In proud and loving
memory of our dear son and brother,
W.O. W. Gerald Bright, in his
23rd year, and the members of
his crew who lost their lives
April 14, 1913, over enemy terri-
tory.
He has gone but his voice re-
echoes.
His face that is now unseen;
His smile that was all sunshine
is now but a lovely dream.
In our memory when we are lone-
ly.
We close our eyes and see
him sitting there in vision
Just like reality.
So sadly missed by mother, dad,
Lois, Grant, Jean and Larry.

Carlie—In loving memory of my
dear father and mother, Archie
and Pearl Carlie.
Memories are treasures no one can
steal.
Death is a heartache nothing can
heal.
Some may forget you now you are
gone,
But we shall remember no matter
how long.
Always remembered by daugh-
ter Norma, son-in-law Jack.

O'Donnell—In loving memory of
my dear mother, Elizabeth O'Donnell,
who passed away April 15,
1950.
A wonderful mother, woman and
child;
One who was better God never
made,
A wonderful worker, loyal and
true,
One in a million, that, mother, was
you.
Just in your judgment, always
right,
Honest and liberal, ever upright;
Loved by your friends and all you
knew;
A wonderful mother, that, mother,
was you.
Sadly missed by only daughter,
Maie, and son-in-law.

Pegg—In loving memory of our
dear baby Johnny, who would be
three years old April 5, and died
December 2, 1949.
It is your birthday, baby dear,
Mother can't forget.
Loving Shepherd of thy sheep
Keep my babe, in safety keep,
Nothing can thy power withstand,
None can pluck him from Thy
hand.
Lovingly remembered by mom-
my, daddy and brothers, Bobby,
David and Jimmy.

Ross—In loving memory of a
dear mother and grandmother, El-
sie M. Reid, who passed away
April 4, 1944.
A silent thought, a secret tear
Keeps her memory ever dear.
Time takes away the edge of grief
But memory turns back every leaf.
Lovingly remembered by son,
Leslie, Marlan, June, Murray and
John.

Sawford—In loving memory of
a dear husband and father, George
Sawford, who passed away April
12, 1947.
Nothing can ever take away
The love a heart holds dear.
Fond memories linger every day,
Remembrance keeps him near.
Lovingly remembered by wife,
daughter, Flossie, son-in-law Allan
and grandchildren.

Thompson — In loving memory of
a dear husband, James H.
Thompson, who passed away April
14, 1946.
In my heart his memory lingers,
Sweetly tender, fond and true.
There is not a day, dear Jim,
That I do not think of you.
Sadly missed by his wife.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY
Mrs. C. Flintoff will be at
home to her many friends on
Friday, April 20, from 2 to 4
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OBITUARY
Ernest Streeter
Mr. Ernest Streeter, 87, clock-
maker, who might well be ter-
med "father" of Petworth trades-
men, died at his home Clock
House, Petworth, West Sussex,
England, on Sunday. He was a
brother of Edward Frank Street-
er, Newmarket.
Though he had become bodily
feeble of late years his mind
remained active to the last, and
he retained the greatest inter-
est in the life of the town where
he had spent so much of his life.
He was born at Wisborough
Green, the son of the late Mr.
John Streeter, a noted clock-
maker, who cleaned his last
watch on his 81st birthday.
After four years' appren-
ticeship to engineering, he returned
home when he was 20 to help in
the family business. He started
as a clockmaker in Petworth in
1888 and his first public job
there was to reconstruct the
Parish church clock, the wind-
ing of which he continued to see
to until the demolition of the
spire put it out of action.
He was chairman of Petworth
football club, president and
chairman of the town band, a
member of the old original nig-
ger minstrel troupe, an Oddfel-
low, member of the R.A.O.B.,
member of Petworth Park Lawn
tennis club, founder-member of
the bowling club and founder-
member and chairman of the
tradesmen's club. He served on
the parish council for many
years.
He was a recognized authority
on antiques and old coins, and
was very proud of the fact that
Queen Mary, while King George
V was convalescing at Bognor,
visited his shop and made pur-
chases. His collections of but-
terflies and moths, old coins and
trade tokens were known far
and wide.
In 1944 Mr. and Mrs. Streeter
celebrated their golden wedding.
For the last few years the busi-
ness has been run by his second
daughter, Miss Peggy Streeter,
and has borne the somewhat
unusual trade name of "E.
Streeter and Daughter." His
widow and three daughters sur-
vive him.

OBITUARY
Wilmot Mitchell
Funeral service was held at
Sutton West on April 1 for Wil-
mot Mitchell, Roche's Point, who
died at his home on March 29
after an illness of two years. He
was born in Georgina twp. on
October 4, 1875, the son of the
late Sarah Ann Tomlinson and
Nathan Mitchell, Cedar Brae. In
1898 he married Mary Jane Bark-
er who predeceased him in 1942.
He married Sarah Barker in 1943
and she survives him.
Mr. Mitchell was a farmer and
had been retired for eight years.
He was a member of the Chris-
tian church.
Besides his wife he is survived
by sons Edward, Stewart and
Roy, Roche's Point, Bernard,
Severn Bridge, Arthur, Peffer-
law; a daughter, Mrs. Norm Kay
(Marjorie), Belhaven; brothers
David, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.,
Joseph, Aurora; a sister, Mrs.
Rose York, Sault Ste. Marie,
Mich.; 13 grandchildren and one
great grandchild.
Rev. Sorrick and Rev. King
were in charge of the service
and interment was at Briers, Sut-
ton West. Pallbearers were Bill
Lawton, Fred Cooper, Fred Rye,
Elmer Curtis, Herman Steven-
son, Roy Giles.

OBITUARY
Mrs. James Elliott
A life-long resident of Aurora,
Effie May Elliott, died at her
home, 38 Wellington St. on
March 14. She had been in
failing health for the past three
years. She was born in Aurora,
daughter of the late Mr. and
Mrs. Edward Andrews, on July
3, 1871, and on Dec. 29, 1904,
she married James Elliott who
predeceased her in August 1923.
Mrs. Elliott was a member of
the Aurora United church and
in her earlier days was active in
the church, singing in the choir
and teaching Sunday school.
She held office in the W.M.S.
and the W.C.T.U. She was born
and lived all her life at 38 Wel-
lington St. and because there
was no high school at Aurora
she walked to and from New-
market high school every day.
She is survived by a son,
George G. Elliott, who is man-
ager of the Imperial bank at Galt;
and a daughter, Mrs. Gardner C.
Seidel (Mary), Aurora. Six
brothers and four sisters pre-
deceased her.

OBITUARY
Garnet Barrager
Garnet James Barrager died
suddenly at his home 6 Mary St.,
Aurora, on April 5. He was
born at Queensboro on May 15,
1903, the son of the late Jennie
Parks Barrager, and Charles
Barrager, New Westminster, B. C.
In 1929 he married Vivian
Ivonen who survives him.
Mr. Barrager was a photog-
rapher and a member of the Au-
rore United church. He was a
member of the Lions club and
the Aurora recreation commis-
sion and very active in sports.
Besides his wife he is survived
by a son, Tracy, and a daughter,
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and Dorland; a sister, Mrs. Don-
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borne, Willard Graham, Grover
Gage and A. N. Fisher. Inter-
ment was in Aurora cemetery.

OBITUARY
William Deavitt
William Henry Deavitt died
suddenly at his home, Sharon,
on March 31 as the result of a
stroke. He was born at Raven-
shoe in 1875, the son of the late
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Deavitt. On
February 1, 1899, he married Ida
May Rigler, Keswick, who sur-
vives him.
Besides his wife he is survived
by sons, Ernie, Newmarket, Roy,
Pembroke, Percy, Toronto, Mer-
land, Aurora; a daughter, Mrs.
Fred Gartschore (Hazel), Sharon;
sisters, Mrs. Henry Arnold (Jos-
ephine), Nobleton, and Nettie,
Toronto; and nine grandchildren.
His eldest son, Clarence Erwood,
predeceased him 21 years ago. A
sister, Mary, and a brother, Ed-
gar, also predeceased him.
Rev. E. V. Warren conducted
the funeral service at the chapel
of Roadhouse and Rose on April
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Frank Ramsay, Allan Shaw, Lind-
say Farr and Fred Weddel.

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PRINCIPALS IN RECENT WEDDING
Pictured above after their recent wedding are Mr. and Mrs. William Rush, Newmarket. The bride was formerly Aletha Woodhouse. The bride's attendants are Hazel Peffers, Toronto, and Glenna Woodhouse. The best man is Norman Rush, Newmarket, usher Vince Woodhouse. Flower bearers are Sandra Peffers and Donnie Graham. Photo by Budd.

THE HOMEMAKERS
Rhubarb Suits All Tastes
Rhubarb once grew wild in
Russia and in other parts of Eu-
rope. Someone brought it to the
North American continent near-
ly two centuries ago and discov-
ered, quite by chance, what good
pie it made. That is why it
became known as the "pie plant".
When buying rhubarb remem-
ber that it should be bright pink-
ish red in color, the stalks fairly
large and, most important of all,
it should be fresh and crisp.
Avoid buying rhubarb which is
wilted and pithy at the stem end.
Always choose young, tender
stalks.
In making rhubarb sauce or
stewing rhubarb, two tsp. sugar
to each cup of rhubarb cut in
pieces and measured raw, is us-
ually sweet enough for the aver-
age taste. When stewing rhu-
arb, as with other fruits, the sug-
ar should be added after the
fruit is cooked. It seems to taste
sweeter than when the sugar is
cooked with the fruit and so less
sugar is required. In adding
sugar to the hot, cooked fruit, it
should be stirred in gently so that
the fruit will not be broken up.
Rhubarb is delicious in tapioca
pudding, shortcake or upside
down cake. When baked, it
makes a perfect dessert, also
when served as a sauce on blanc
mange or custard. The tart, pink
juice is just the thing for frozen
ices and sherbets.

RAVENSHOE
The W.A. supper will be served
Wednesday, April 18, from 6
to 8 p.m. Hostesses are Mrs. W.
King, Mrs. M. McMillan, Mrs. R.
Hobborn, Mrs. W. Rose, Mrs. B.
Deavitt and Mrs. R. Pollock.
Everybody welcome.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rose and
Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Rose attend-
ed the wedding reception for Mr.
and Mrs. Ross Rose in Toronto
Saturday evening.
Several ladies were lucky in
winning draws at the cooking
school sponsored by Geer and Byers
on Monday and Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Breen spent
Monday in Toronto.

CREAM PUFFS
A LA RHUBARB
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour
1 tsp. salt
2 eggs, unbeaten
Bring water to boiling point,
add shortening and melt. Sift
together the flour and salt. Add
all at once, stirring vigorously.
Cook, stirring constantly, until
mixture leaves sides of pan. Re-
move from heat and cool. Add
eggs, one at a time, beating vig-
orously; after each addition, until
mixture is smooth. Beat thor-
oughly for one minute. Drop
heaping tablespoonsfuls on a
greased baking sheet two inches
apart. Bake in a hot oven, 400
degrees, for 15 minutes. Do not
open the oven door during this
period. Reduce heat to 375 de-
grees and continue baking for 30
minutes. Cool. Cut small slice
from top, fill cases with thick,
stewed rhubarb, garnish with
creamy custard and replace top
slice. Six servings.

KETTLEBY
Congratulations to Mr. and
Mrs. Ed Haines who celebrated
their 32nd wedding anniversary
on Tuesday, April 10, also to
Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bache whose
anniversary is on Saturday,
April 14. We wish you all many
more happy years together.
Birthday greetings to Mrs. C.
Wilson whose birthday was
Wednesday, April 11.
We were very glad to welcome
Mrs. F. Crane back in her usual
seat on Sunday, and to know
that she has almost recovered
from her long illness.
Services next Sunday at
Christ church will be Sunday
school 2 p.m., evening service 3
p.m.

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Smoked HAM
lb. 65c
Whole or Shank Half

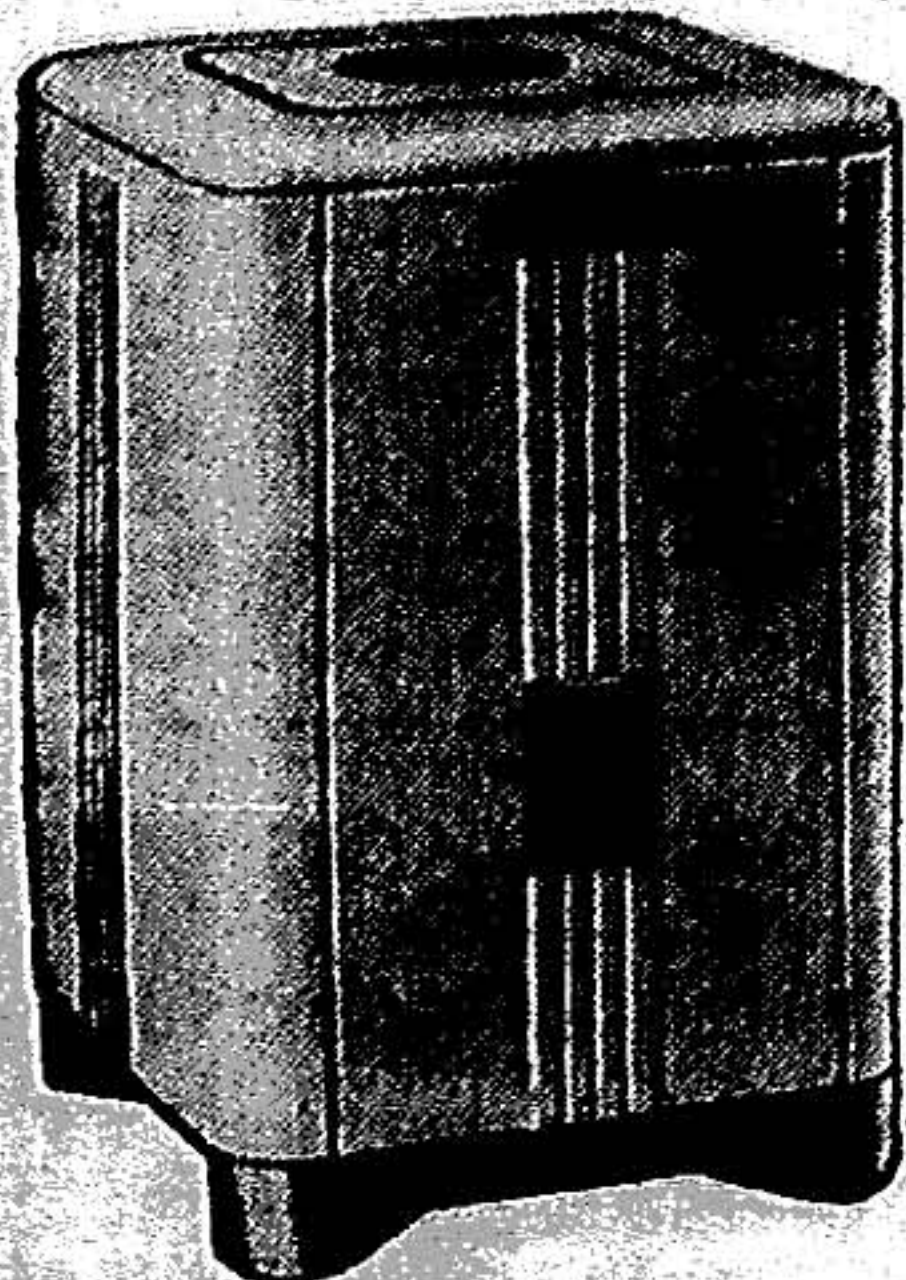
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IT'S A Woman's World

By CAROLINE ION

A copy of "The Newmarket Era" for October 29, 1880, was passed along to us a short time ago. This issue which has seen its "three score years and ten" was among the papers collected by the Newmarket Scouts and Cubs in their recent salvage collection in Sharon. It bears the subscriber's name, Wm. Ostley, and is in very good condition.

The Era at that time was advertised as a steam printing establishment. The paper which carried the full title of "The Newmarket Era and North York Intelligencer and Advertiser" was issued each Friday. Its editor, publisher and proprietor was Erasmus Jackson.

Apart from a few items of local interest and the advertising, the majority of news coverage is concerned with national and international matters, a policy which was generally practised by weeklies until the last quarter of a century. There are columns from Washington and Ottawa in this 1880 Era. There are reprints from Montreal, Toronto and Victoria newspapers. A weekly newspaper today is more concerned with presenting an accurate reflection of the immediate community than in providing coverage for world news.

Even "the good old days" do not live up to their reputation in this 1880 issue of The Era, for in it we read the following account: "A sneak entered a house in St. Catharines on Tuesday and stole a pocket-book containing \$10 while the inmates were attending on a member of the family who was dying."

"That tramp—One evening last week, a young man with a black moustache called at a farm house on the townline. He said he was a harness maker, that he had had the ague all summer and as a natural consequence was reduced in funds. He asked for lodgings for the night, informing the folk that he intended to pursue his journey to Alliston in the morning, where his tools were. He partook of the hospitality of the farm house and rising early on the following morning, he showed his gratitude by carrying off a heavy brown overcoat."

Other stories tell of the recovery of a livery rig which had been stolen the previous week from Hy Hulse; of the possible establishment of a commission to investigate "the affairs and morals of the Northwest mounted police"; of the stealing of the cash box containing the proceeds of the tickets taken in at the gate at the annual show of the Aurora Agricultural Society; of a murder, an unjust imprisonment and several other acts of violence.

Among the more pleasant events recorded was the presentation of Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in Newmarket by the Schomberg

Dramatic club. The club had previously presented this play to packed houses in both Aurora and Schomberg.

An embossed and elaborate address was presented to Father Harris from the trustees of the separate school during that week of October 29 1880. For it was at the beginning of the scholastic year that Father Harris had handed over to the trustees a school house, joining the Roman Catholic church. The trustees whose names were recorded on this address are Eli Spencer, Thos. Dolan, Geo. Haskett, Jas. Barry, Michael Mulcahy and John Cain.

The problem of late copy which present-day editors and the inaccuracies of the city's daily papers which continually harrass reporters and exasperate local townspeople had their counterpart in this old Era. In reporting on the successful show which the King Township Agricultural Society held the editor notes "We did expect to receive the prize list in time for publication this week, but have been disappointed."

"Not posted—The Toronto Evening World of Friday last says: 'Newmarket is likely to be incorporated as a town, and a proposition to that end will be submitted to the electors.' Our column is 'not posted' in this matter. The preliminaries for incorporation have already been completed and the official proclamation by the lieutenant governor issued as the law directs. Next January election will take place as a town—not a village; and the 'proposition' to be submitted to the electors will have reference to officials for next year, instead of the question of incorporation."

COUPLE CELEBRATE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Cole of Roche's Point celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary on Saturday, March 31. A family dinner was held at Roche's Point Memorial club concluding with speeches and songs. The surprised Mr. and Mrs. Cole were then taken for a merry ride through Keswick and surrounding district in a decorated automobile.

During the afternoon and evening many friends called at their home to pay their respects to the bride and groom of 50 years. The house was attractively decorated with varied spring flowers, wedding bells against a yellow snapdragon setting. Mr. and Mrs. Cole cut the wedding cake made in three tiers and a dainty lunch was served to their friends.

Beautiful cards and gifts were received by the happy couple including a silver tea service from the community. Their families' gifts were lovely gold wrist watches for each. Guests present from a distance included their three sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cole and family, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cole and family, Flint, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cole and family, Toronto.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cole, Dr. and Mrs. Murray Cole and Mrs. Fred Cole of Bradford; Mrs. Hartsley Bailey, Flint, Michigan; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and family of Alliston; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nevelles and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffels and family of Cookstown; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pugh, Barrie; Miss Fern Young, Port Colborne; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ferries, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dutton and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller and family, Mrs. D. A. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Ferries and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Miller, Miss Emma Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Warren and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Ennes and family, Miss Ida Pearson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole, Mrs. Wm. Meadows, Mr. Fred Stoen, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McGee, all of Toronto Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cole, Aurora.

LADY BOWLERS END SEASON WITH DINNER

The members of the ladies' lawn bowling club alley bowlers held their annual banquet at Bell's Corners on Tuesday, April 3. A lovely chicken dinner was served.

Wm. Mites, with 31½ points for the season, was the winning team. Captained by Marie Penrose, the other members of the team were Laura Geer, Thelma Sloss, Dora McCaffrey, Hazel Hopper and Nell Jelley. Goldie Macnab won the prize for high average, Bea Bain for high three and Vivian Gibson for high single.

After the dinner bridge and canasta were played. In bridge Gert Goring won first prize and Amy Luesby consolation and Margaret Brammer in canasta.

W.A. HEARS TALK ON RACIAL PREJUDICE

The Woman's Association of Kettleby United church met at the home of Mrs. Jack Maginn Tuesday evening, April 3, with the president, Mrs. L. V. Heacock, presiding, assisted in the worship period by Mrs. A. Marshall, Betty Webster and Mrs. Bert Wood. A committee was appointed to try and secure a play for May 24 and further inquiries are to be made regarding church floor covering.

Mrs. D. Ray had the topic for the evening and brought as her guest Mrs. Weinzwieg. Together they presented an interesting and lively discussion on racial prejudice. Mrs. Ray said "As a Christian group, we should be interested in this problem and ready to do our bit to overcome it. Mrs. Weinzwieg feels that it is a social prejudice rather than a religious one. If the Jew or other nationalities that are in our cities appear to be clannish it is not because they wish it so especially but because they are forced through restricted housing, etc., to one particular district and even the type of job or profession is limited. A Jew is not acceptable in our banks or in insurance companies except perhaps as salesman.

They are not wanted as engineers or chemists. They go largely into clothing businesses or become doctors or lawyers, working largely among their own people.

The question was asked, Why did the Jew and others come to Canada in the first place? Mrs. Weinzwieg replied that in Poland, where they came from, post-war were up all over telling how wonderful Canada was and what opportunities could be had. The government was encouraging immigration because roads needed to be built, new land opened up or perhaps railroads put through and the down-trodden people of Europe jumped at the chance of the promised security. A Jew in Poland was not allowed to own any property and their living had to be made amongst their own people—buying, selling or trading all within a restricted area.

She said the Ontario government had now passed a law forbidding racial prejudice in employment. She felt it was a good step in the right direction.

Mrs. Heacock thanked Mrs. Weinzwieg and Mrs. Ray for their enlightening discussion and the members closed with the theme hymn and prayer.

AURORA SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. H. Teasdale returned home from her trip to Vancouver last Thursday.

Mrs. Len Holman returned home on Sunday after attending the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. C. Atkinson, at Verden, Sask.

Miss Lilian Bunn is leaving this week for a six-week visit to relatives in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McGhee, Jr., spent Sunday with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hamer spent Sunday with Mrs. T. Hamer.

Mrs. J. Jarvis, Toronto, spent a few days with Mrs. L. Reuben.

SHOWER BRIDE-TO-BE

A miscellaneous shower was held in honor of Miss Dorothy Miller at the home of Miss Barbara Hutchins on Monday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent in dancing, after which a delicious lunch was served by the hostesses, Barbara Hutchins and Betty Heaney. The bride-to-be received many lovely gifts.

VISIT ENGLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Such, Pearson St., Newmarket, left on Wednesday for New York from whence they will sail for England where they will visit relatives. They expect to return by June 10.

Newmarket Social News

—Bandmaster and Mrs. Wm. Groig were at Waterloo over last weekend attending the midwinter meeting of the Canadian Bandmasters' Association.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams, Owen Sound, were weekend guests of Mr. Williams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Williams.

—Mrs. Carl Moore and baby son, Ricky, Toronto, have been spending the past three weeks with Mrs. Moore's mother, Mrs. Herman Bennitz. They will return home on Sunday.

—Miss Verna Shier, nurse-in-training, Grace hospital, Toronto, received her cap in a ceremony held at the hospital on Tuesday, April 3. Each member of the class was presented with a white Bible.

—Jim and Ted Blencowe visited over the weekend their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blencowe. —Master Denys Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Williams, Owen Sound, spent the weekend with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Langford, Armistage.

—Mrs. Geo. McComb, Misses Frances and Lucille McComb and Bruce Collings, Bradford, visited in Port Dalhousie on Sunday.

—Mr. Carl Moore, Toronto, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bennitz.

—Bruce Babcock was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Deyo on Sunday.

TEA SUCCESSFUL DESPITE THE RAIN

An afternoon tea was held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Newmarket, by the Evening auxiliary of the W.M.S. on Friday, March 30. Despite the heavy rains that afternoon, there was a good attendance and the affair proved a success.

Receiving the guests upon their arrival were Mrs. Nelson Shanks and Mrs. M. E. R. Boudreau. Mrs. T. H. Walls and Mrs. Sydney Legge were in charge of the sale of home baking and aprons. Assisting with the serving of the tea were Miss Greta Flintoff, Mrs. John Stickland, Mrs. John Watt and Mrs. T. B. Graham.

BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Paul Fry, Newmarket, six years old on Friday, April 6.

Diane Haskett, Newmarket, eight years old on Saturday, April 7.

Geraldine White, Holland Landing, 12 years old on Sunday, April 8.

Jean Mary Evans, Newmarket, three years old on Saturday, April 7.

Donald Foster, Sharon, 14 years old on Monday, April 9.

Jimmy Peregrine, Queensville, 13 years old on Tuesday, April 10.

Robert Henderson, Newmarket, 11 years old on Tuesday, April 10.

Connie Phoenix, Cedar Brae, three years old on Tuesday, April 10.

Millie Smith, R. R. 3, King, 14 years old on Wednesday, April 11.

Bill McMurray, Newmarket, 12 years old on Wednesday, April 11.

Norman Kay, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 13 years old on Thursday, April 12.

Jean Trumble, Newmarket, 12 years old on Thursday, April 12.

John Douglas Hope, R. R. 3, Newmarket, five years old on Thursday, April 12.

Betty and Barbara Pollock, Newmarket, four years old on Thursday, April 12.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of The Newmarket Era and Express Birthday Club.

PAROCHIAL GUILD PLANS FOR SEASON

Plans were made for the season's work at the meeting of the Parochial Guild of St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket. The meeting, which was held April 4 at the home of Mrs. Joseph Peat, was chaired by Mrs. John Dales. Mrs. Dales conducted the devotions.

The treasurer presented a report on the successful St. Patrick's day tea and sale. A discussion was held on the work which will be done at the intervening meetings. The season's work culminates in the fall bazaar. Wool for the knitted articles was distributed.

A social half-hour was enjoyed at the close of the busy meeting when refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 17, at 8 p.m. at the home of Miss Margaret Morning, 119 Main St., when Mrs. Roy Penrose will be hostess.

ATTEND O.E.A.

Members of the public school board of Newmarket attending the Easter meeting of the Ontario Educational Association were Mrs. N. L. Mathews and Mrs. M. B. Seldon. Mrs. Mathews, as president of the Urban and Secondary Section of the Ontario School Trustees and Ratepayers Association, a department of the O.E.A. presided at the meetings of the section.

As past president she becomes a member of the O.E.A. general executive and she has also been re-appointed to the executive committee of the Trustees and Ratepayers Association. Mrs. Seldon was appointed director on the executive of Urban and Secondary Section.

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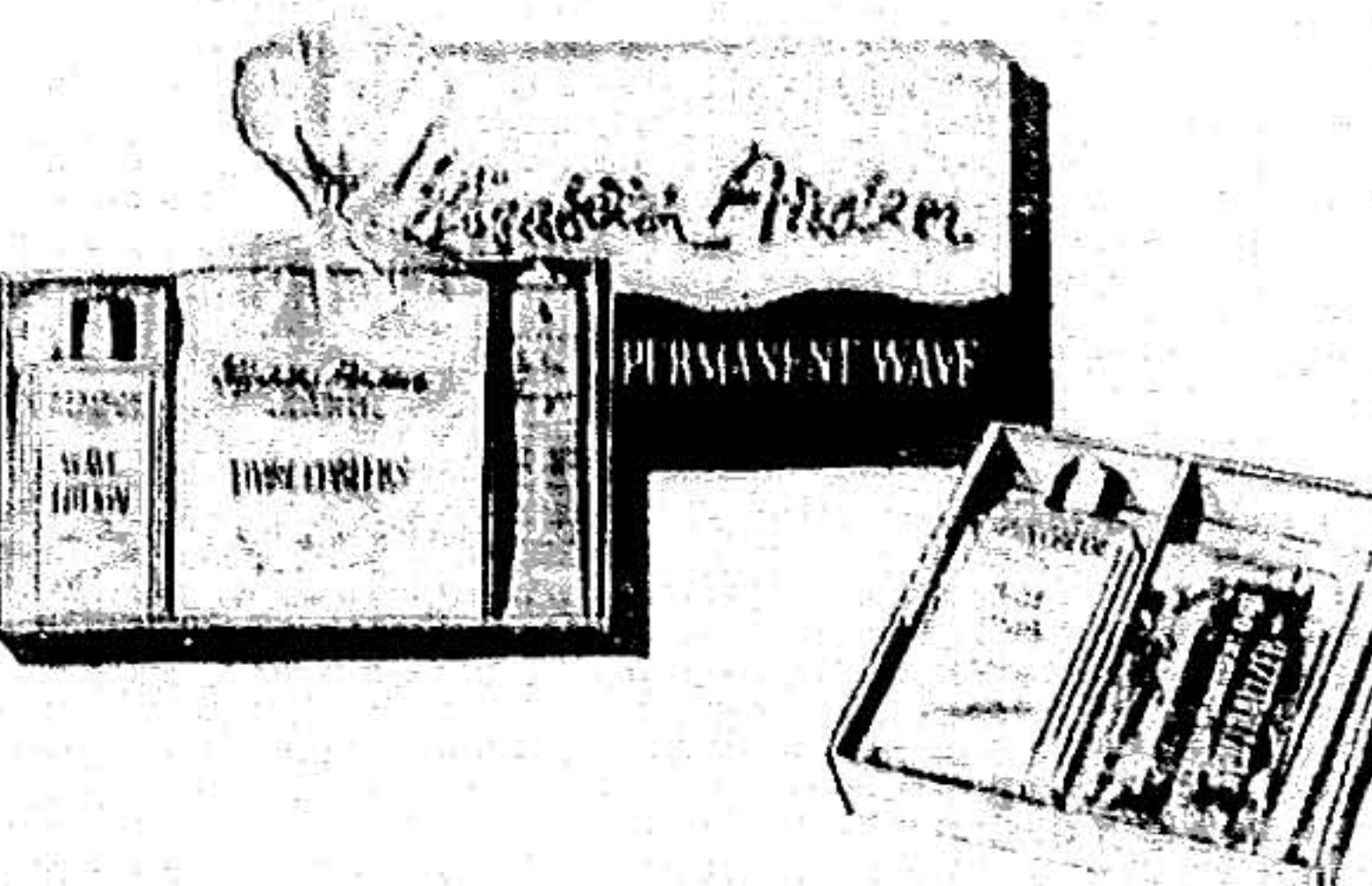
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Rockets, Cubs Fight To Tie To End Season

Memo to Rocket mentor Frank Johnston and bossman Andy Closs of Aurora "Cubs": "If that's a sample of junior C hockey for '52, let's dispense with summer and get on with more right away."

Newmarket Rockets and Aurora C Bear Cubs battled to a four all tie in Aurora arena Thursday in a preview of '52. If any unbriefed characters had dropped in from the hinterlands, they'd have gained the impression the championship of North York was on the line. Neither team spared the horses and galloped about at a mile a minute clip.

The usual Newmarket-Aurora rivalry merited 14 penalties, four majors, 10 minors. Majors were doled out to Hal Phillips of the Cubs and Bill Smith of the Rockets for scrapping. Both were buddies a scant six weeks ago with Hack Cain's juniors. The other set-to was strictly a gloves off, into it hot and heavy betwixt Bob Hanna, Rockets' up and coming defender, and Ed Williams, rough and tumble blue-line basher.

That was the boom-boom part of the show. Now for a gander at the scoring. It was 1 all as the sweepers came out for their first turn of duty—Joe Sarkisian, a Closs find, with Grant Winters the feeder, and Murray McDonald back on his lonesome to tie it. The second was scoreless.

The goal-production stepped up in the finale. Rockets legged into a 3-1 lead early in the final round as Bob Shropshire set Keith Collings on his way. Bob Veale followed with a lone safari. At the midway mark, Walt Fines started off what proved to be a three-goal run for the Cubs. Geo. Barber, a wee broth of a lad, and his bigger brother, Artie, shooting unassisted goals by Joe Burke in the Rocket cage to hoist Aurora ahead 4-3. Rockets raced the hands of the clock and at 18:40 Keith Collings collected his second goal of the night, skirting the Aurora rear-guard to trigger a back-hander that found the top corner for the equalizer.

That's how it ended, 4 all, the two tired teams voting against overtime. Aurora: g. B. Neilly; d. E. Williams, G. Winters; c. G. Barber; w. A. Barber, J. Sarkisian; alts., W. Fines, C. Wansborough, A. Closs, H. Phillips, B. Cook, S. Wilson, G. Edwards, D. Munshaw, D. Dinner, G. Chapman, D. Egan.

Newmarket: g. K. Burke; d. F. Morton, B. Hanna; c. K. Collings; w. M. McDonald, B. Veale; alts., N. Zogalo, J. Gasko, W. Smith, L. Waller, B. McFale, A. Martin, W. Robinson, B. Langford, J. Staley, L. Firth, B. Shropshire.

Referee: L. Thoms.

The port of Churchill, Man., handled a record number of 20 ships during the brief 1950 shipping season.



Here's a North York championship hockey team—the Aurora Ladies. Two straight losses, then three wins, the fifth and decider a 4-1 triumph over Keswick, brought the North York honours and the Purdy-Henry trophy to Aurora. Back row, l. to r., Arlene Morrison, Betty Holman, Joanne Beazer, Barb Rose, Velma Sutton, Ted "Shorty" Sutton (coach), Maxine Storie, Lucille Case, Gwen Myke. Front row, l. to r., Edna Marinoff, Arlene Atkinson, Edna Anderson, Lucille Phillips, Irene Mashinter. (Photo by Haskett).

TOWN LEAGUE SOFTBALL

Are the Town League softball teams ready? Here we go for another season. League secretary Harold LaPlante fires the following broadside: meeting next Wednesday, April 18. Time 7:30 p.m. The place, the Bell Telephone building at the rear of the Gray Coach Lines terminal. Let's have a representative from each team on deck. Remember Hoffman, Davis, Specialty, Town, Bell and Optimists.

AURORA HIGH NEWS

We may not be the slightest bit superstitious but when our Easter exams begin on Friday the 13th it does not cause us to get up and cheer. The whole school starts writing then and our school social and sports activities have been cut to a minimum these past weeks.

The girls have been playing badminton and a tournament is being planned. (All that the boys are doing is bickering about the outcome of the Stanley Cup play-offs.)

The school band is having its spring tune-up and it is a marvellous band this year. The last few weeks of us who come to school half asleep, as sharp at 8:30 the band begins to practice. The mixed glee club is singing in the Peel County Festival in Port Credit on April 20.

We are now beginning to take cadets in earnest and the date for the cadet dance is May 11. But this is no time to think of such pleasure as we must be back at the grind of studying for those delightful exams.

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BY GEORGE HASKETT

Newmarket Sports Editor

The snow has gone and the rink closed Saturday. Ball diamonds are drying up and there are umpteen dozen young nippers out with bat and ball. Spring is here!

Zephyr is definitely out to hold the Lake Simcoe crown reports Morley Bain. Keswick softballers have lapped the field, organization meeting over and done with, uniforms ordered, Art King president, Bill Stanyer coach and Percy Richmond back for repeat as manager. Rumor has it that Holland Landing will come into the Simcoe circuit this year. Better get the ball rolling, Mr. Chapman.

Bradford is definitely in the hunt for the intermediate C O.L.A. lacrosse title. Jim Webb was elected president, both coach Jim Mulliss and manager Nick Burnside are back at the helm. Newmarket's talk of lacrosse has simmered low. One reason it seems the lights at the arena must be screened. That's a job that will have to be done sooner or later—why not now. Weren't five smashed during the hockey campaign? That alone would be reason enough to do a screening job.

Proper place to start a comeback for Hub in lacrosse, we're told, is with the kids. That's probably right. Such being the case, we have three chaps offering their services as coaches for minor teams, Bob Benville, Bell Bradley and Harold Gwyn.

Rink manager Stan Smith reports Canadian Ice people figure ice should disappear in a couple of weeks. Arena commission shortly to consider summer activities. Roller skating, weekly dances, wrestling and boxing are being talked up as summer revenue producers. Following out the community centre idea greatest possible use of the arena should be made, how about basketball, floor hockey and indoor soccer?

More on the shiny side: Two or three hockey hold-outs. King-Vaughan league finals still with us. Kleinburg prolonged the series by holding Elgin Hasting's Schombergers to ten all score Friday. They'll try to settle it Friday. Aurora town league has unfinished business, one game in the best of five series played. Cliff Chapman and his minute-men are doing their damndest to finish up at grass-cutting time. Other important hockey tussle is Aurora minor league championships due April 20.

Rural high-jinks: "Butch" Boyd, Bradford's manager, asks why not organize an intermediate B division to the Trolley League, Bradford, Alliston, Sutton and Beeton. Time to do it is now. Both Sutton and Bradford were more than a little peeved at the treatment accorded them in the O.R.I.A. this season. Protests flew so thick and fast both fans and press were bewildered.

Ellis Pringle's Greenshirts took the unkindest cut of all. They protested Haliburton bringing in a replacement goalie via a doctor's certificate, while Haliburton's regular netminder donned the pads for pre-game work-out. Sutton got two home games, Haliburton four. How the O.R.I.A. figured that one out, and then threw out the Sutton protest, we'll never know.

Went along with "Slim" Allen, Earlby Ruthven, Frank Bowser

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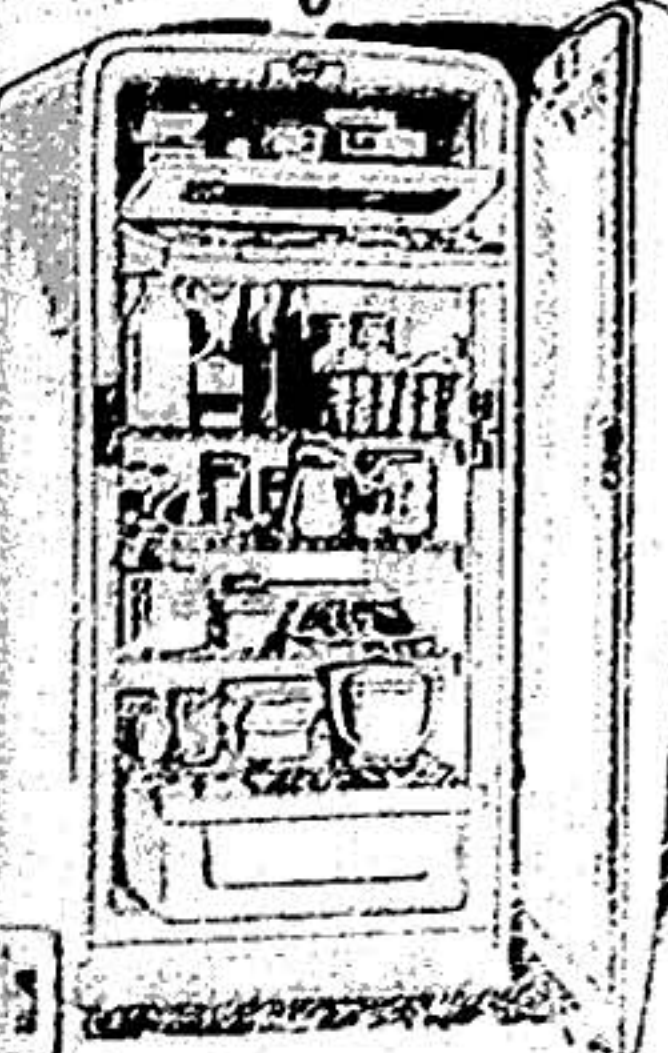
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The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

LAYING FOUNDATIONS

From our earliest childhood, when on Sunday evenings the big Bible was brought out and we listened to ever new, ever fascinating stories, we have heard of the house that was built on sand and the one built on rock, and what happened to them.

Even a childish mind could grasp the idea that unless the foundation was firm, there was danger. And what is true about the foundation of a house seems to me to be true about our lives. If we have a faith the roots of which were planted in childhood and which has grown with the years, we have something which the winds of adversity and the waters of sorrow may buffet, but cannot demolish.

And it's true of so many things—a good education, for instance. Think of the foundation you have to build on and from it to see—unless you think education stops with school—ever new and wonderful fields to explore. Sometimes a student absorbs enough knowledge to get him through his exams, but when he leaves school, he sheds it as something not worth keeping and when faced with the need for it—the sand has swallowed it.

Look at music—and look at Newmarket. The children in this town are having the opportunity to build a regular citadel of music. In the churches, in the schools and by private teachers, the young of this town are being given opportunities in music that we, of my generation, would have given much for. Most of us took music lessons and we sang a little in school if the teacher was so inclined, but we had no real incentive, unless we were ultra-conscientious.

All this came to mind as we listened to the boys' choir and the motet group in Trinity Un-

ited church on Sunday morning. Who doesn't love to hear boys sing? There is something in the flute-like quality that tugs at your heart strings and makes you pray that they will keep the lovely words in their hearts all their lives. Into the training of these boys as into his other choir, Mr. Hurrie is putting time and energy and much of himself. In both the boys' choir and the motet we could hear a great advance; a little more particularity in enunciation so that every word would be audible, is about the only criticism we would feel competent to offer.

We are looking forward to hearing the girls' choir soon, too, for the children of today are the senior choir members of tomorrow.

Newmarket has many churches giving their young people the opportunity of leading the service of praise. Then look in the field of entertainment. Look what Pickering College has done to bring Gilbert and Sullivan to the town, but better still to give boys and girls a chance to study and take part in the delicious nonsense of those operas.

Last week, too, I wrote about the dramatic club and I want to speak on that connection of something which hurts me when I think of it and that is that I omitted to speak of the part of Mr. Gibbs as played by Tommy Taylor. If you noticed just as I mentioned Mr. Gibbs there is a slight hiatus—I must have left out the line that spoke of Tommy. As the one old man who escaped the Panama Canal, he was an important personage,

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Les Woolven in the Hoffman League last week got a 778 triple, including a 341 high single, tops to date this season. Frank Daniels fired a 654, Al Bryson 646, Bill VanZant 602. Machine Shop treated Press Shop to a 7-0 shellacking. Vordone nosed out Office 4-3. Two weeks to go, standing, Press Shop 94, Vordone 81, Machine Shop 73, Sheet Metal 73, Office 71.

Frank McFarlane topped the Office Specialty Officers' League last week with a 637 (156-218-263). He was the only bowler to crash into the 600 circle. Lou Bovair rolled top single 299. Standing at present, Bovair 45, Seldon 42, Bennett 42. Three weeks to go.

Olive Hughston came up with the pay-off bowling with the Thursday Night gals last week, smacking out a three game mark of 641 (217-231-193). Other top bracket scorers were Betty VanZant 621, Allene McBride 577, Edna McGrath 549, Fran Bennett 518, Hazel Bennett 505, Jean Wrightman 503.

Rooksters have a comfortable lead in the V.L.A. bowling with 58 total, Ran-offs 46 and Tail-Enders 43. In the men's division Lou Tompkins tops the averages with 200, runner-up Neil Macdonald 184. Neil Macdonald holds the season long high single mark, 259 and top two game

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On the alleys

count 438. Runner-up in both cases is Lou Tompkins with 243 and 420 respectively. In the ladies' sector Lil Rank's 139 average is tops, Barb Thompson a close second with 138. Doreen Smith holds the high single award with a 194 and also two game high with 383. Runner-up is Barbara Thompson with 184 and 330 respectively.

Howard Brown, prop at the North End alleys (Bowling), has a post season series planned to keep the bowlers busy for some time to come. Here's the gen. Three trophies being offered, first to the top men's crew, donated by Peter Gorman, secondly Goodman Bros. cup to the championship ladies team, and thirdly, Bowlday Trophy to the top mixed team. Entries closed Apr. 7. All teams and leagues operating at the North End alleys are eligible. Teams trying for the awards will come from Hoffman, Davis Leather, Office Specialty, Bradford Ladies' and Men's leagues, Mount Albert League, School Teachers, V.L.A., Barney Revill's Friday Nighters, and the Wednesday afternoon ladies league. "This is one way to settle a lot of arguments as to what teams are best and provide some hot action," reports brother Brown.

Par took a licking in last Thursday's Ladies League action. Grace Osmond's team slammed out a skyrocket 3,155 total over the three game run. Top individual mark was set by Eva Whitfield 617 (242-166-209). Grace Osmond was a close second with 606 (227-205-174), third Flo Callaghan 596 (138-219-239). Ruth Greenwood shot a 259 for high single. League standing is Laura Whitfield's team 35, Grace Osmond's 34, Marg Teasdale's 27.

Edna McGrath cracked out a 686 (230-202-254) to pace the Monday night ladies league. Mimi Giovannelli finished second with 604 (235-142-287). 500 bracket scorers were Melrose Molyneux 553, Flo Campbell 549, Jeanne Gatti 544, Emma Broadbent 536, Mary Osborne 535, Mona Dean 522, Hester Clark 520, Alice Gibson 515, Muriel Gunn 514, Phyl McInnis 505. Two shut-outs last week, Dubs 4 Feeps 0, Femmes 4 Wizards 0, Spark Plugs 2 Cubs 2. Four weeks to go and interest running at fever pitch in the bunched standing Spark Plugs 56, Wizards 54, Feeps 53, Cubs 52½, Femmes 51, Dubs 45½.

MORE SPORT NEWS
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DOWN THE CENTRE BY AB HULSE

How They're Winding Up Season

Nobleton Juniors bowed out of the O.H.A. junior D race on Tuesday night at Nobleton to Dane Found's hard-battling Ororo Juniors in the third of a best of three series. Nobleton won the first game in Oshawa with ease, dropped the return game 2-1 at home and in the final game Ororo won 9-4 and it might have been more.

This is the second straight series the Ororo boys have come from behind to win, and done it with surprising shifts of players and last minute changes. In the final game they played a forward in goal and he did a great job. Of course, if your teammates can keep control of the puck and will check like fiends, the net-minding chore is not as tough as it might otherwise be, and Ororo did just that. They play Hespeler now and on the dope Hespeler should win the championship but you can't count Ororo out until the last bell. Ron Atwell was a tower of strength to Nobleton in the series. Terry, Wallace, Weedon, Ash, Holder and the rest of the lads played their hearts out and have no reason to feel ashamed of their efforts. They'll look good another year but some of the boys will doubtless want to play with Aurora or elsewhere. "Twas always thus."

On the championship trail, Brantford awaits the winner of the Markham-Kingston series, all knotted as we write, to decide senior B. Collingwood Shipbuilders, fresh from a win over Canamque, are finalists in intermediate A against either Fort Erie or Simcoe. Gravenhurst looks to have the intermediate B championship coming its way. Weston Dukes are meeting Kingston for the right to play either Sarnia or Kitchener for the junior B crown, while Collingwood, after a terrific struggle with Port Hope Panthers, looks to have the C championship once more.

Eddie Bush, who coaches the Collingwood team, may set some kind of a record as he stands a good chance to annex two championships in his first year as a coach. Alliston and Haliburton are struggling for the right to play Breslau which eliminated Highland Creek for the rural A honors. Canby, from Victoria county, featuring the three Trent brothers, formerly of Aurora,



Perhaps an Apps, a Richard, a Howe, a Kennedy or a Broda will come out of this team, who knows? You're looking at our youngest hockey champions. The Marlboros, Squirt School League champions, ages eight and nine. The school league operated eight teams with over 100 players over the past winter. Back row, l. to r., Paul Forhan, Brian Bales, Bill McComb, Doug Campbell (coach), Vernon Abbott, Bruce Hillaby, Ernest Tilt; front row, l. to r., John Hodge, Paul Blair, Bjorn Peterson, Barton Sedore, Jackie Cullen. (Photo by Haskell.)

Aurora Girls Hockey Team Wins North York Trophy

The Aurora Ladies' Hockey team won the North York Ladies' Hockey League title and the Purdy-Henry trophy, offered for competition for the first time this year.

The gals are worthy champs. They dropped the first two games in a best of five set and won the next three. The fifth game was played Thursday in Aurora arena. Aurora nabbed a two-goal first period lead and went on to carve out a 4-1 win over Keswick.

Barbara Rose and Irene Mashinter started Aurora on the way with first period goals. Velma Sutton popped in a second round tally and Betty Holman skooted the length of ice early in the third to make it 4-0. Kay Peters, a fast skating, stick-handling gal, got Keswick's goal with less than five minutes to go.

The gals lived up to the third period with a bit of "out of the rule book" biff and boff. Joanne Beazer and Betty York were handed a dust mop by referees Harold McMain and Gordie Clark and ordered to dust out the sin bin for five minutes. They called it fighting, imagine!

The North York Ladies' League opened early in January with three teams, Sutton, Keswick and Aurora. The gals have been giving the fans a steady diet of hockey since and it's getting better all the time.

Aurora: Lucille Phillips, Gwen Myke, Lucille Case, Barb Rose, dna Marinoff, Velma Sutton, Jo-

anne Beazer, Irene Mashinter, Irene Morrison, Betty Holman, Edna Anderson, Arlene Atkinson, Maxine Storie.

Keswick: Ev Young, Ruth York, Betty York, Kay Peters, Nancy Daley, Ruth Peters, Lyla Clark, Helen Porter, Lorraine Dolan, Bev Heaton, Shirley Riddell, Grace Peters, Joan Stiles, Charlotte Werden.

Bradford To Enter Intermediate 'C' Boxla

Bradford will again have a team in the intermediate C O.L.A. competition. Officers were named last week. Honorary presidents are T. W. W. Evans and T. E. Bell. Jim Webb, Sr., was named president.

Other officers: first vice pres., Reg Wilson, second vice pres., B. Collings; sec-treas., Fred W. Collings; executive, Chas. Evans; Reeve F. A. Allan, W. F. Compton, A. Spence, Norm "Dodger" Collings, Wm. Fuller and S. S. McKenzie. Nick Burnside was returned as manager and Bill Mulliss as coach for a second term.

Another banner year and strong showing in the intermediate ranks is expected for this year's edition of the Celery Kings. Practically all of last year's team is available for duty and prospects point to several new recruits having an opportunity to display their talents.

Schomberg Held To Tie By Battling Kleinburg

Schomberg held by Kleinburg to a ten-all draw in the King-Vaughan finals. Previously Schomberg had whopped Kleinburg for a two-game lead in the best of five set. Another win was needed Friday to sock the series in the Schomberg kitty. At one stage, the middle of the second, Schomberg looked so far ahead they appeared sure shoos. They led 7-1. The Kleins

came back to whittle the lead to 7-4. Schomberg still figured there was nothing to write their M.P. about, but that was a mistake. Kleinburg's hustling young lads got rolling down through the third. At 19:01 they scooped in the tying goal—and it was then too late for Elgin Hastings's men to do much about it.

Both teams knocked on the door with a couple of good chances in the overtime session but nobody opened the door for a tally.

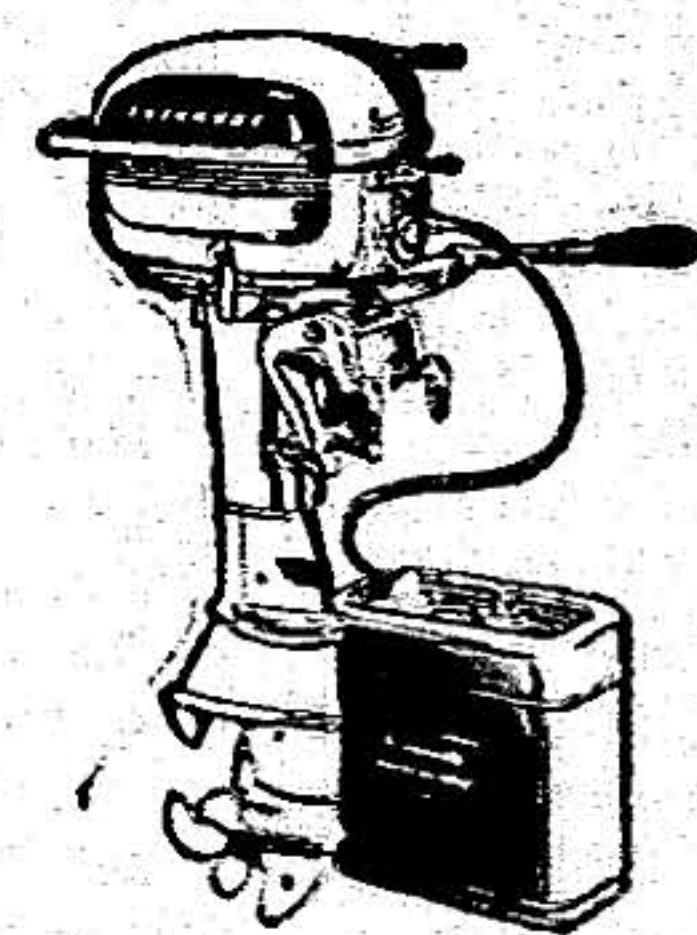
The scoring swag was high, both goalies doing a lot of rubber fishing. Eddie Michnak, Schomberg's jet-propelled centremen, pegged four, two goal-men were Army Carrey and Howard Archibald. In the single goal bracket came Trevor Graham and Hank Hollingshead. Don Marchant cut a good slice of assist pie with three.

Four did a good business for Kleinburg with two each, Walt Bell, Harry Lostchuk, Alb Lostchuk and Alex. Shaw.

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